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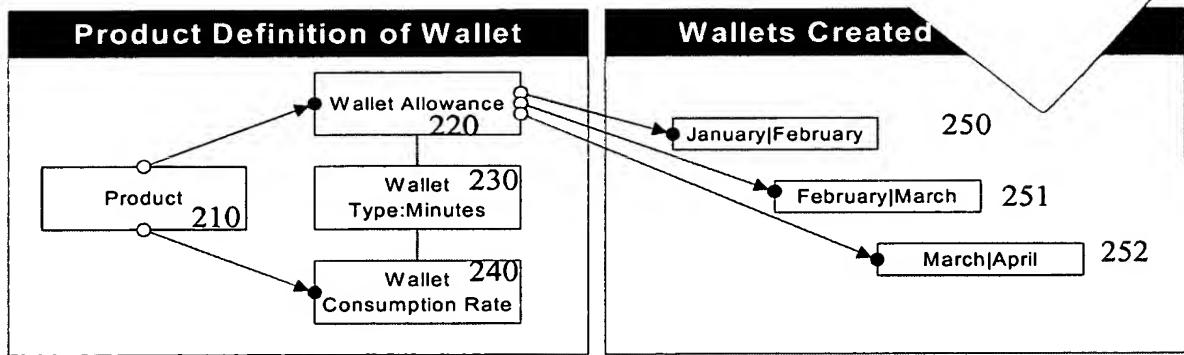


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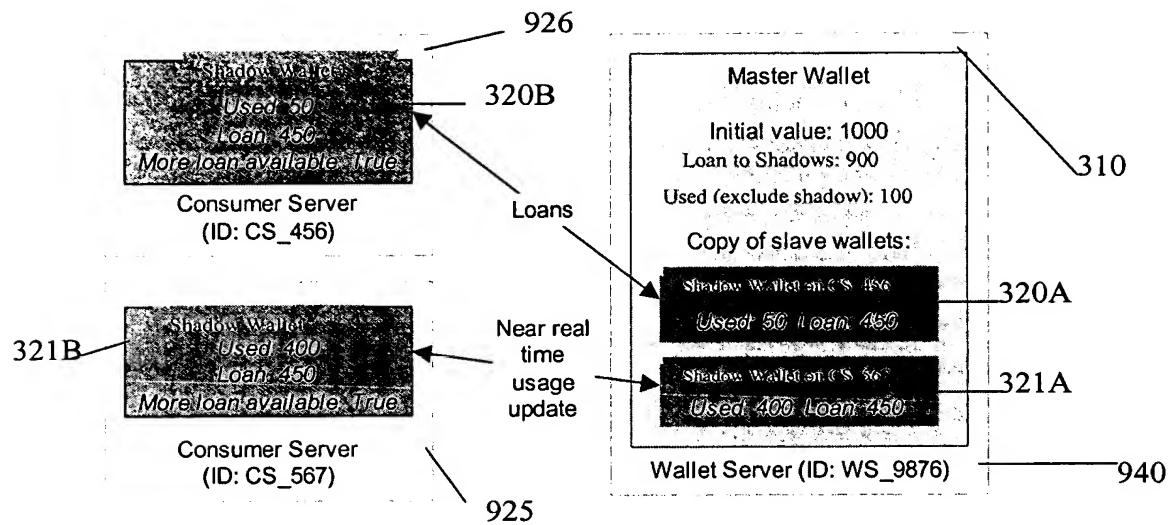


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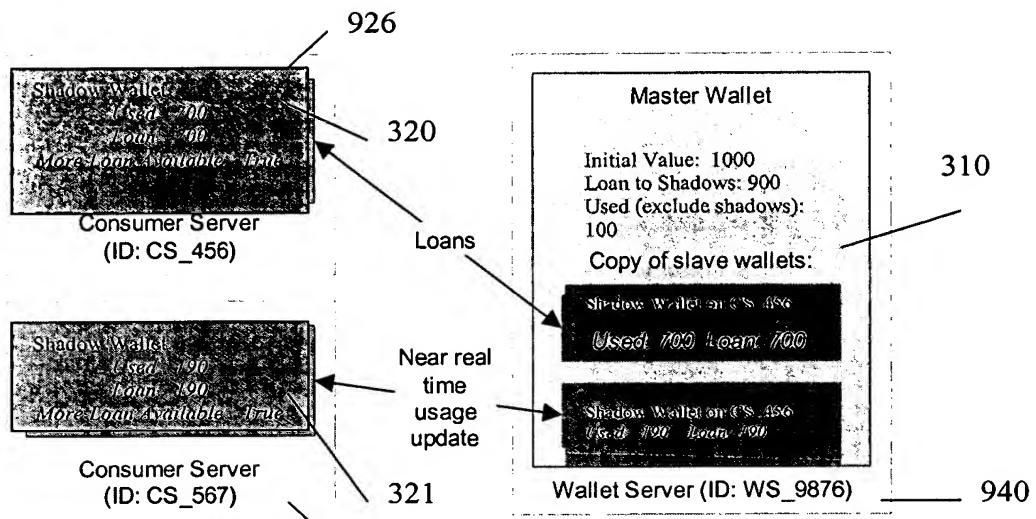


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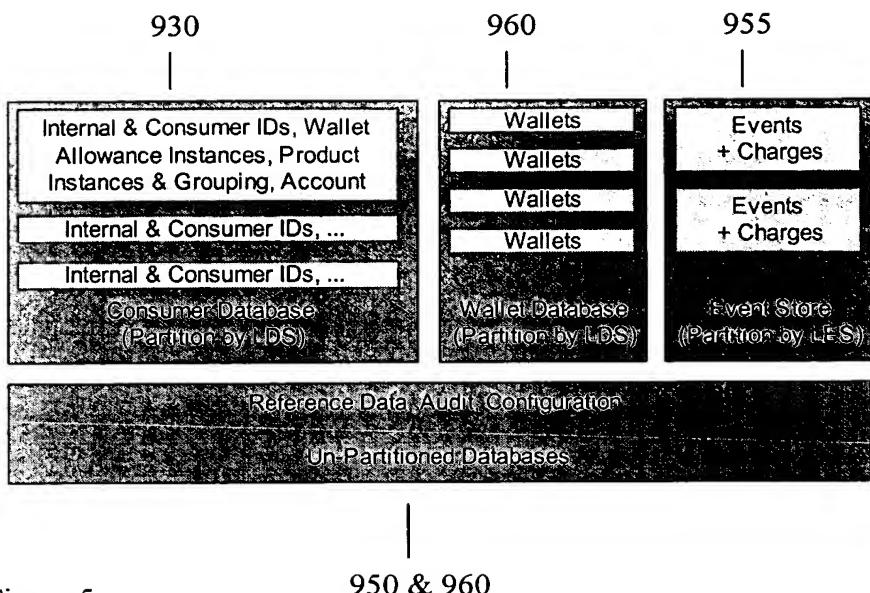


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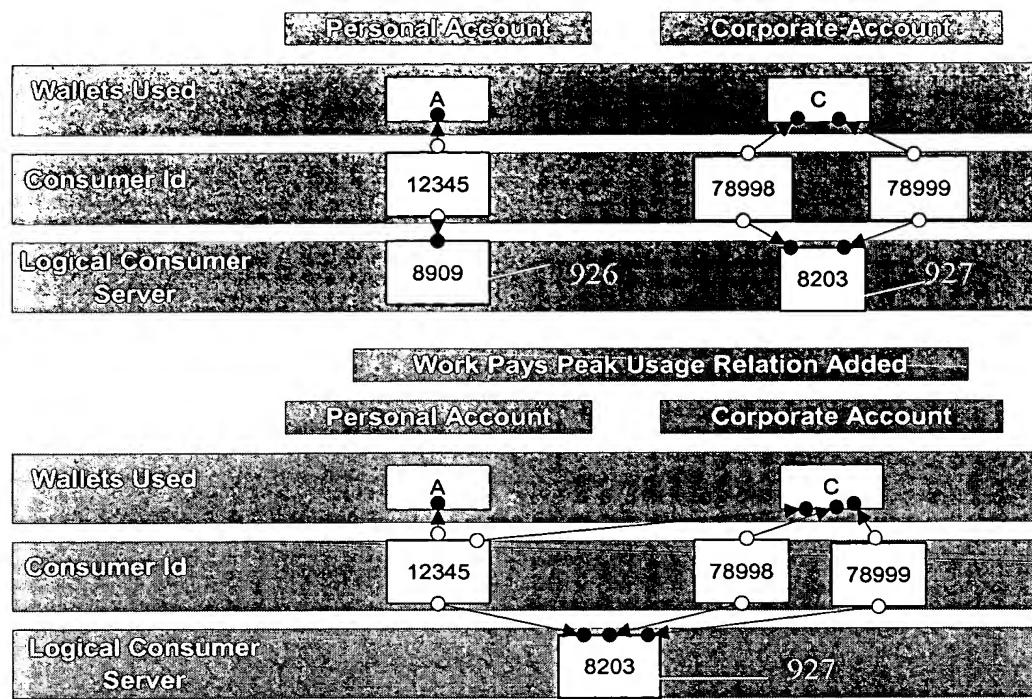


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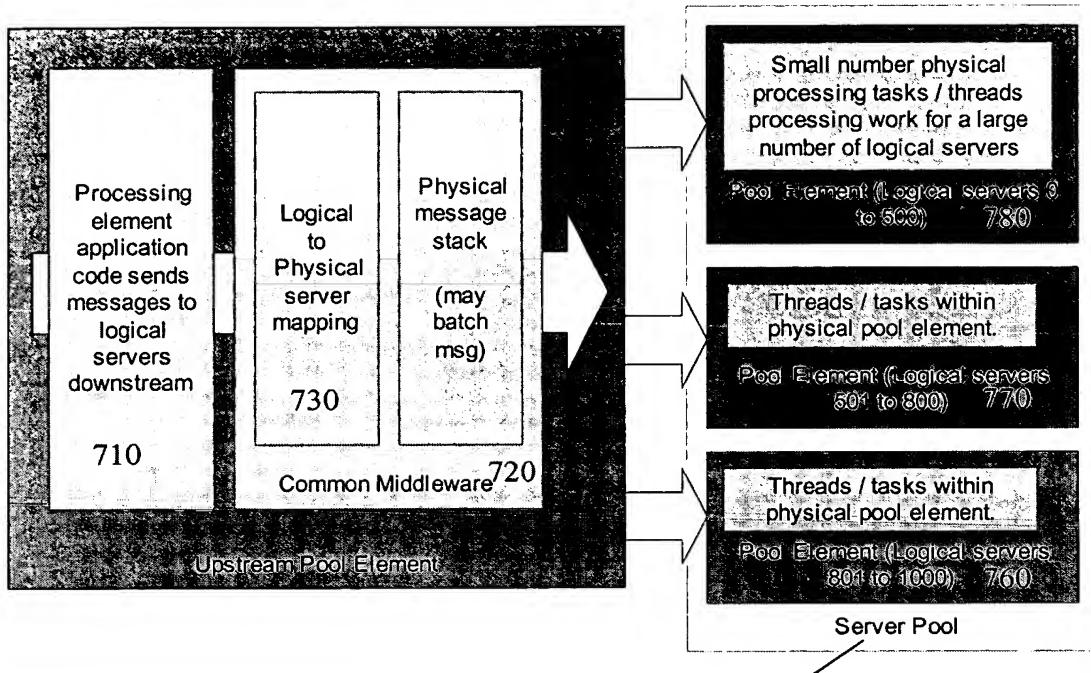


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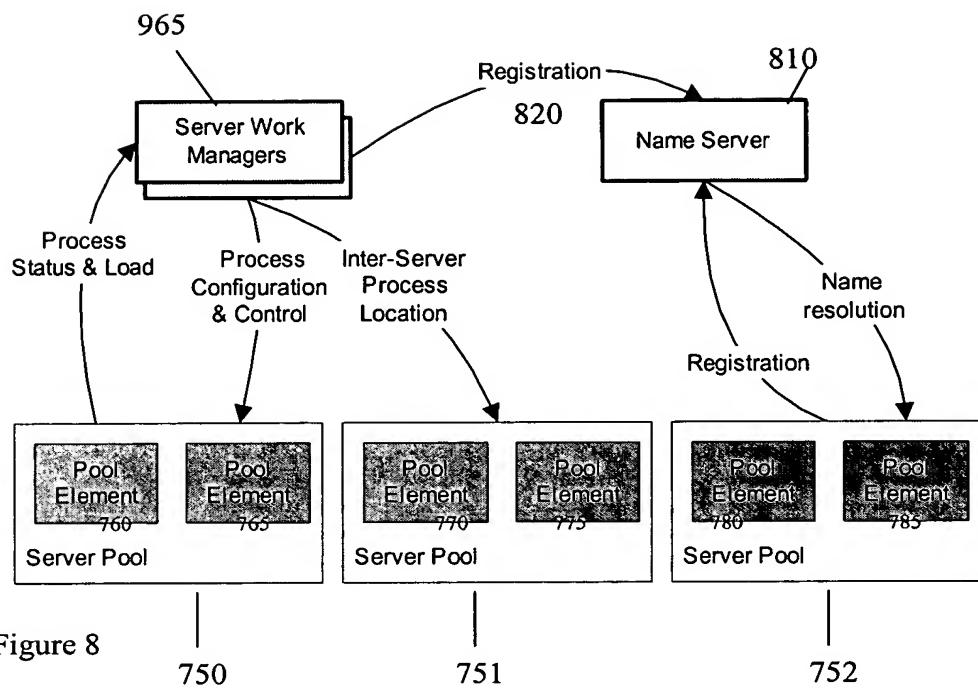


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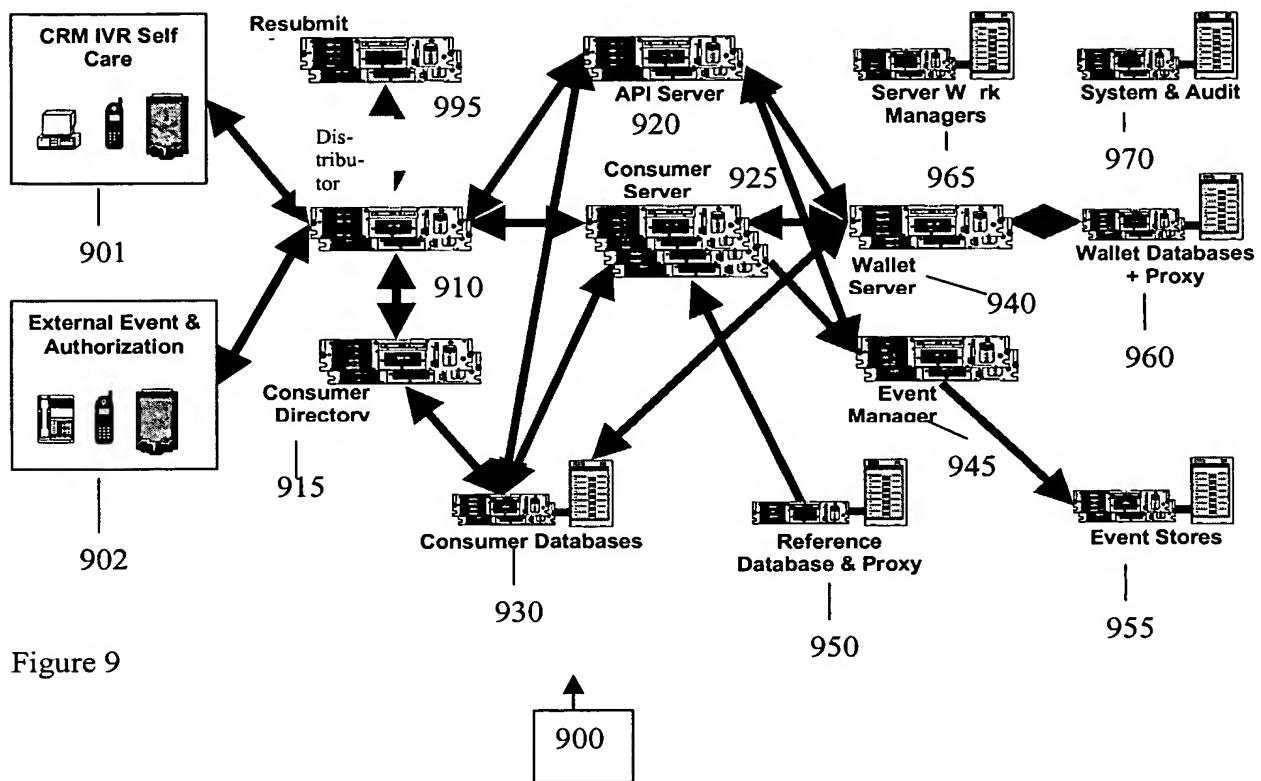


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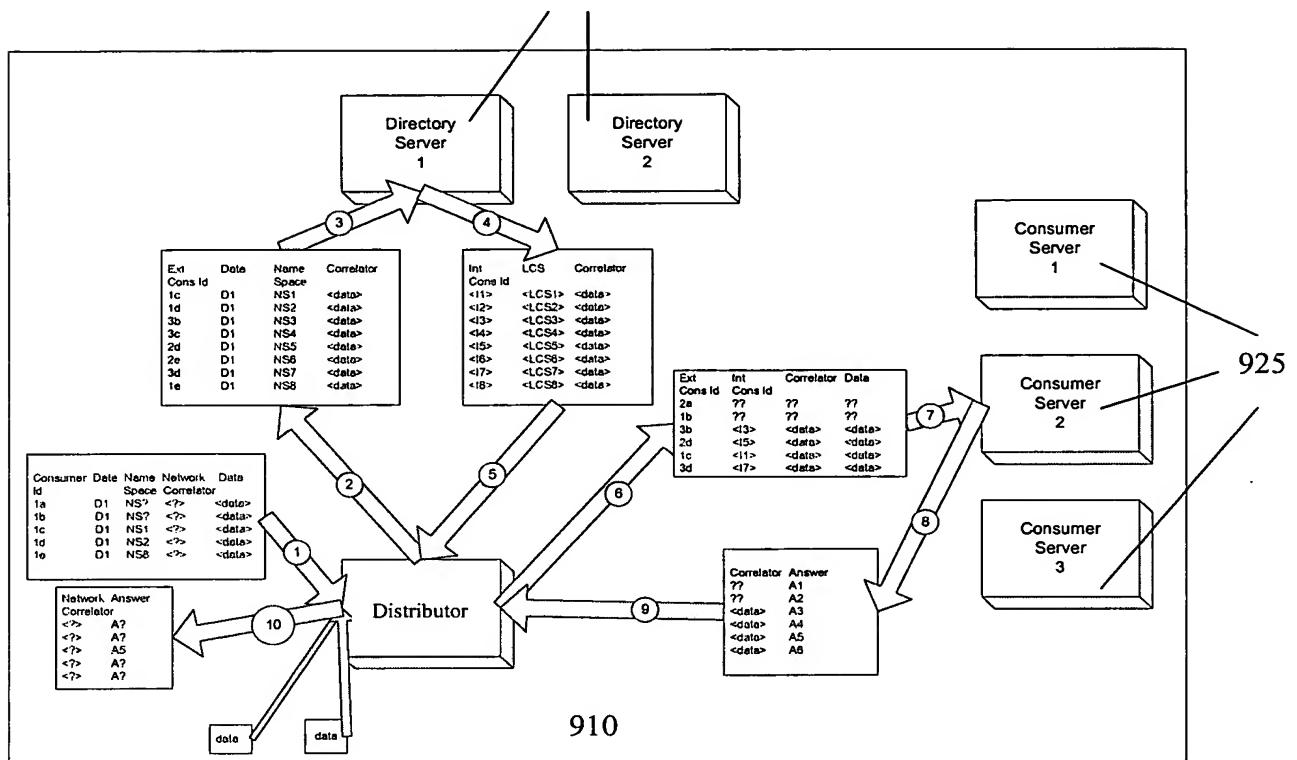


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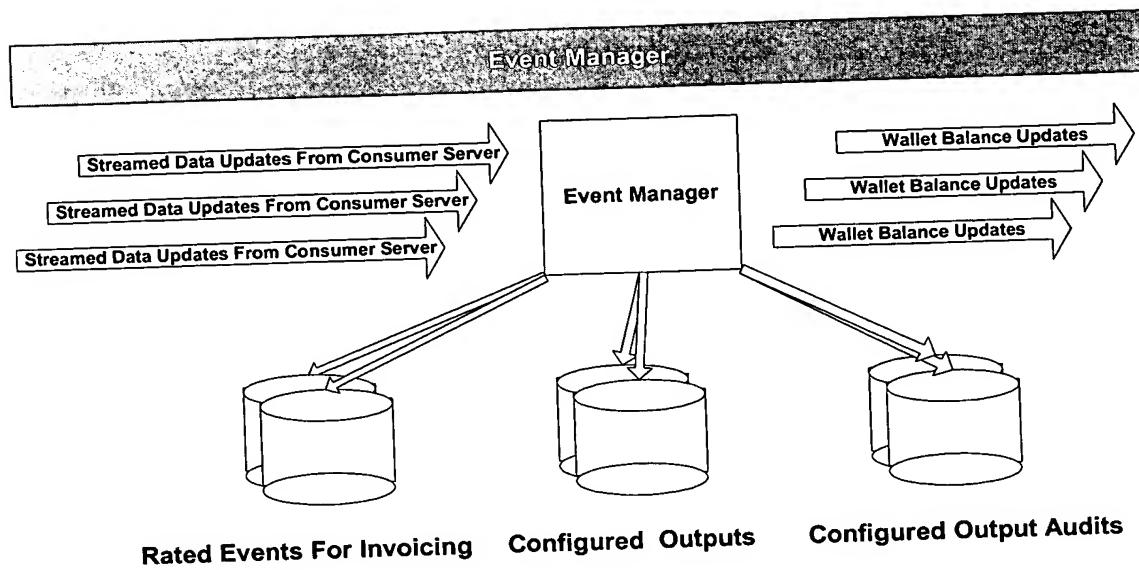


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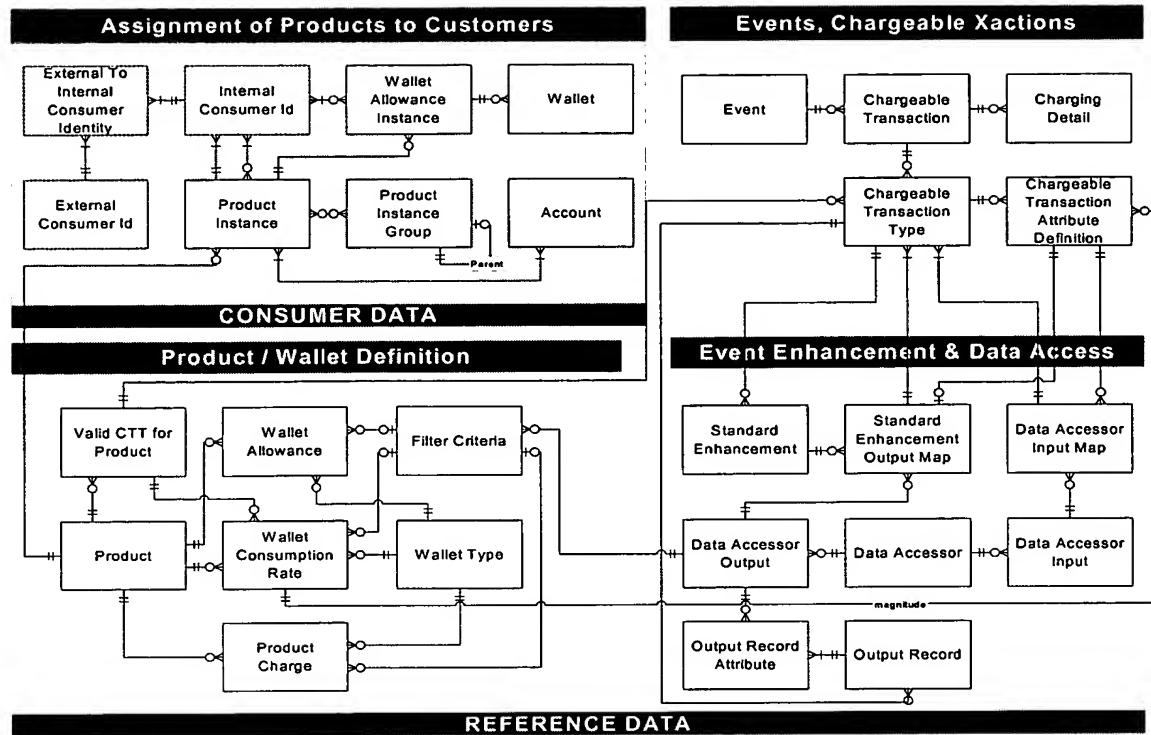


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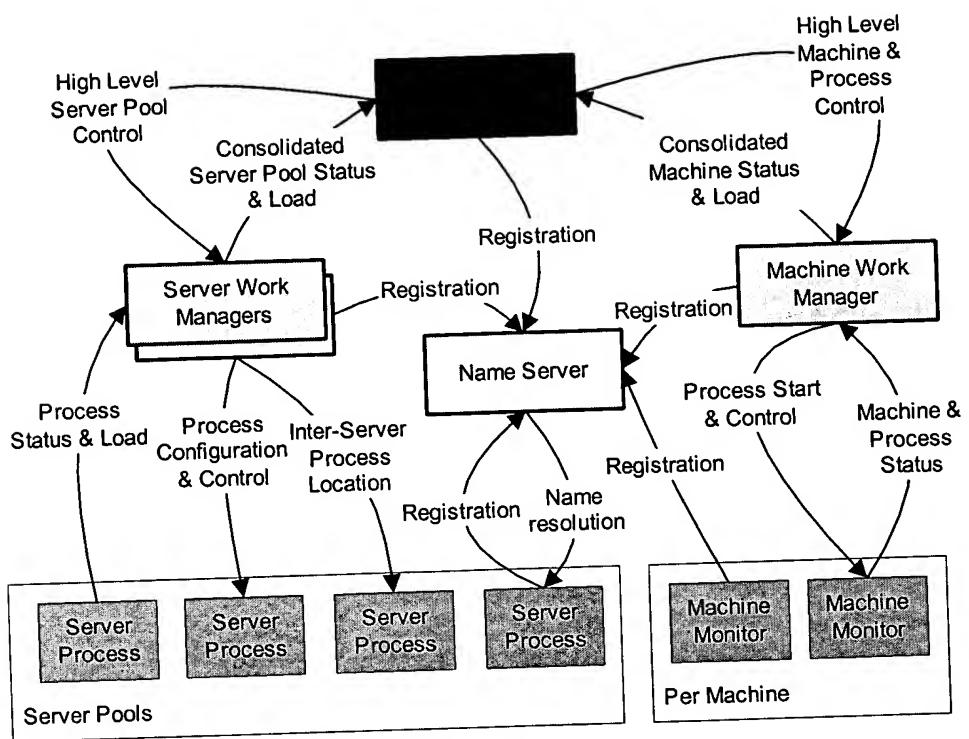


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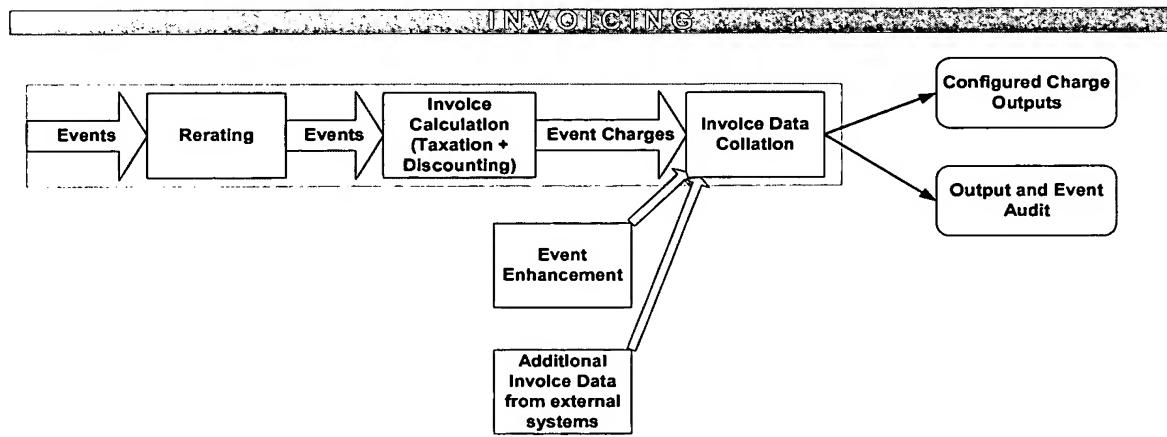


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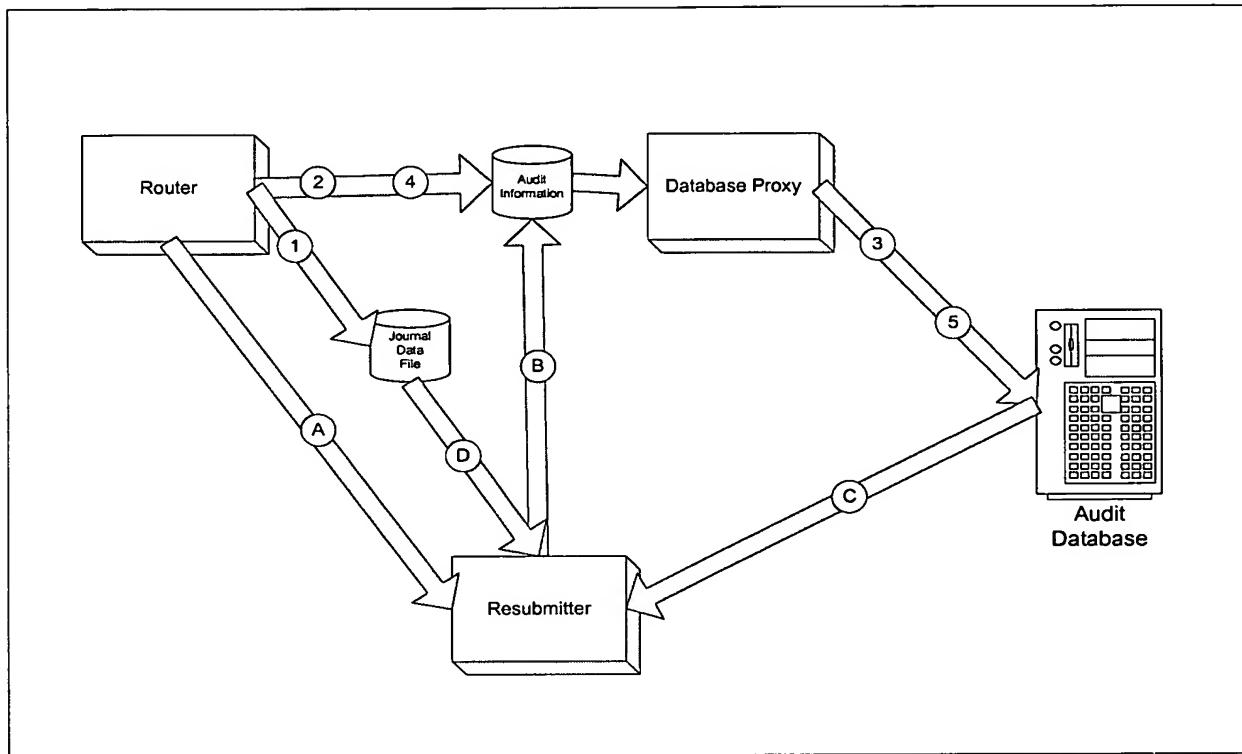


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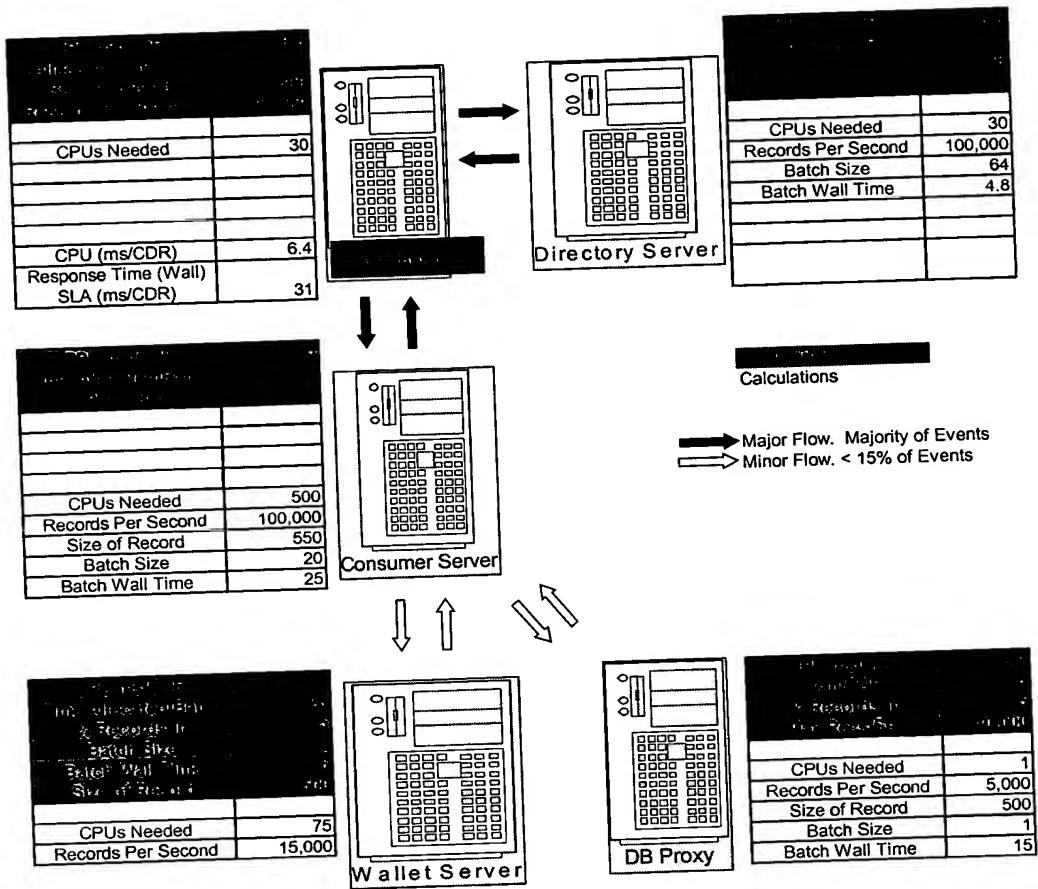


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Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

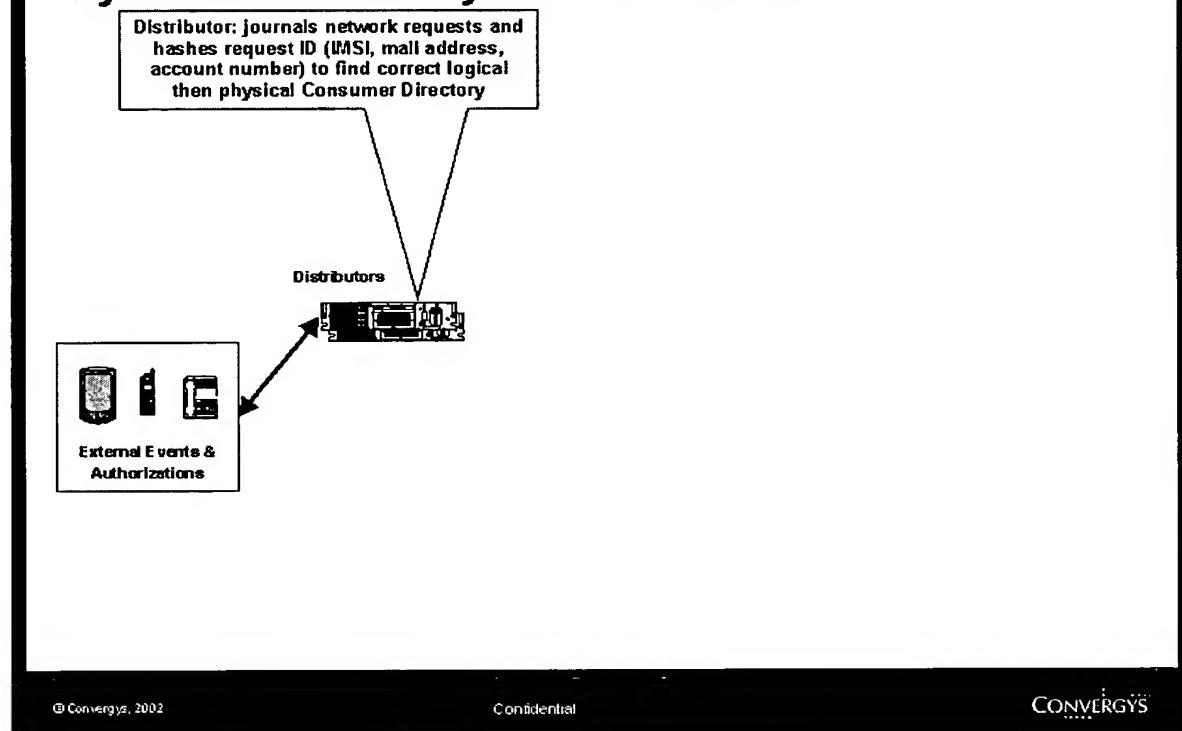
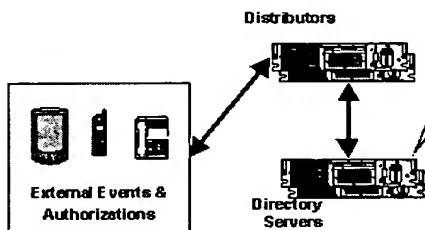


Figure 17

Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Consumer Directory: lookup from request ID to determine the logical server to process the request, and the associated logical data store. Directory pre-loaded from Consumer Databases.



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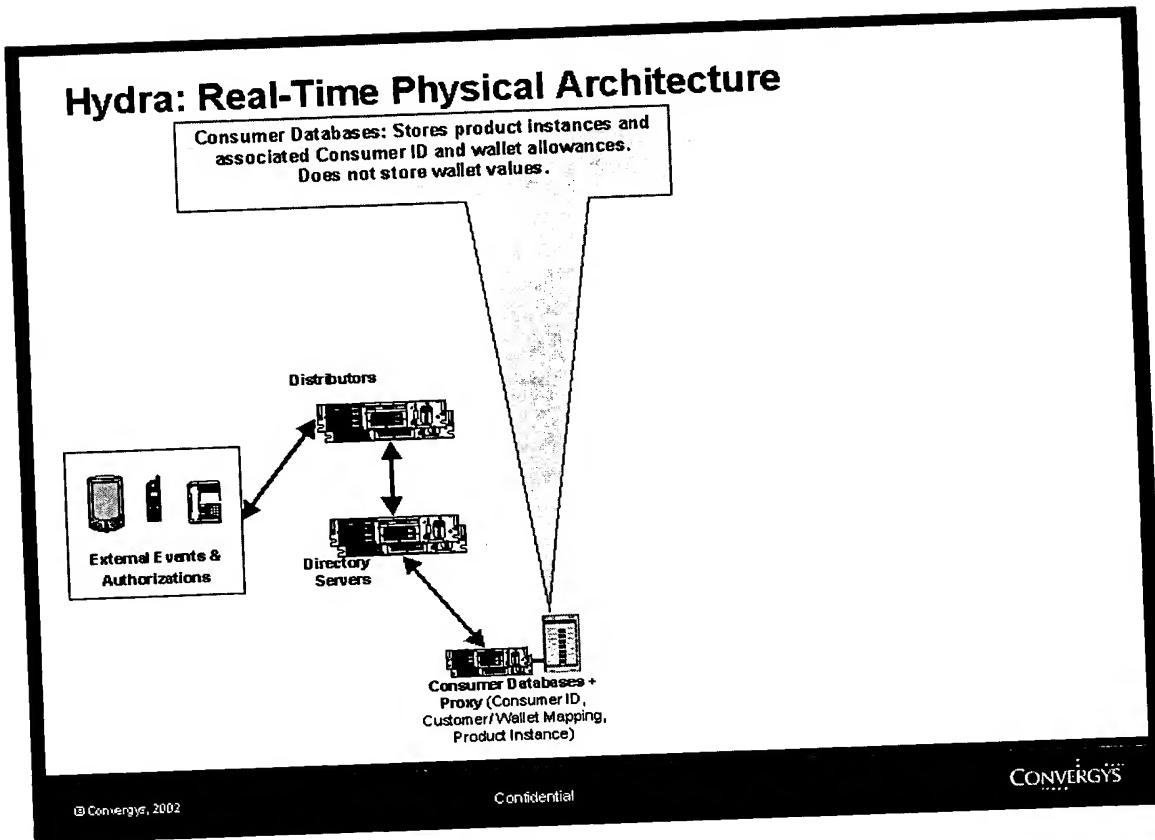
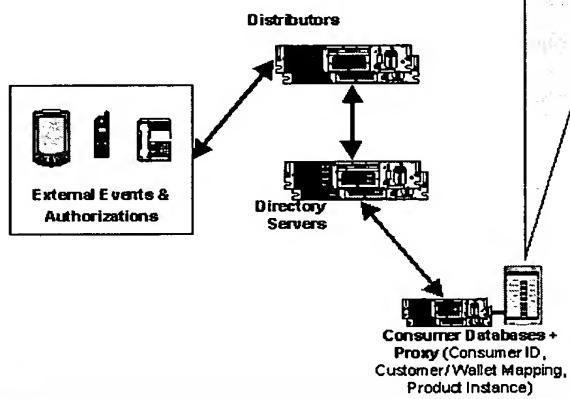


Figure 19

Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Consumer Databases: Implemented as a large number of logical databases partitioned onto a smaller number of physical databases. Accessed via database proxy (not shown).



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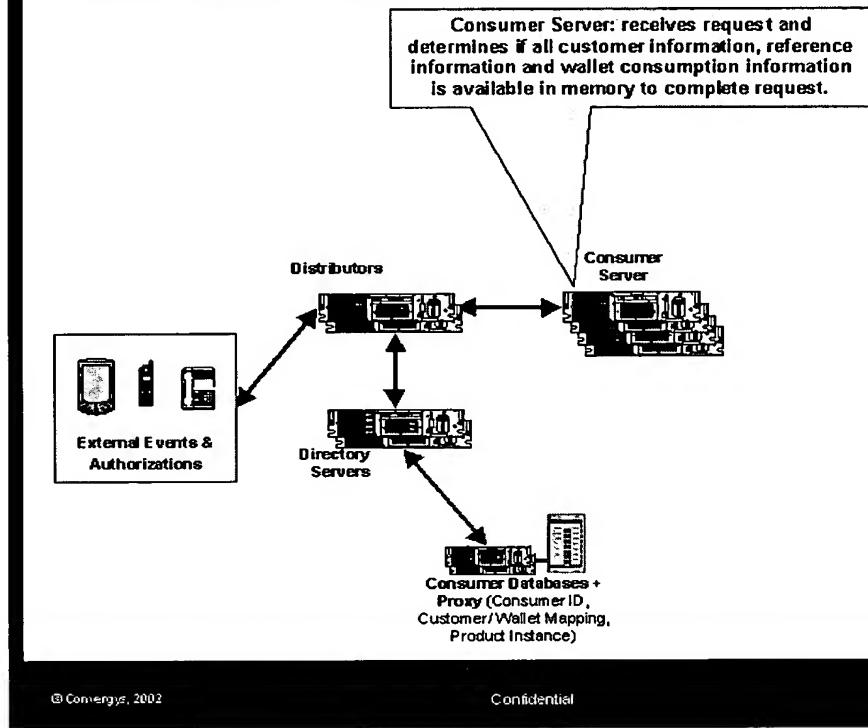


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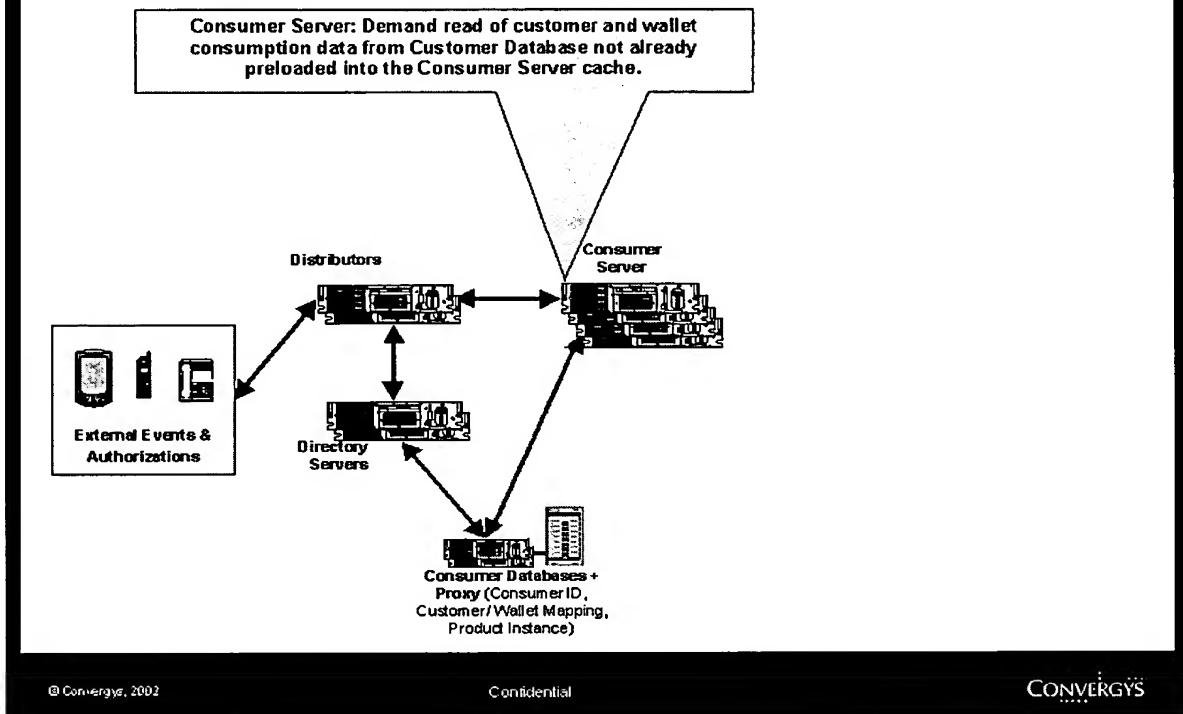
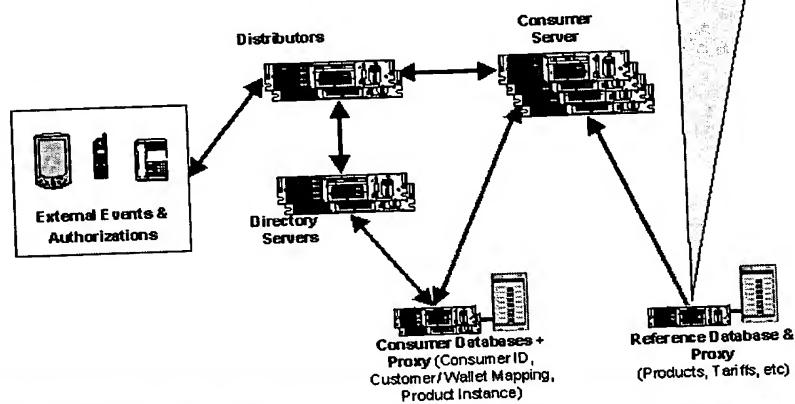


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Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Reference Database: all reference data (product, and wallet details) normally preloaded into Consumer Server (demand loading also supported)



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Figure 23

Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Wallet Server: maintains master copy of wallet for a given period. Creates slave wallets (and loans) for each Consumer Server (normally prior to event arrival). Wallets initially created using information in Consumer Databases and Reference Database.

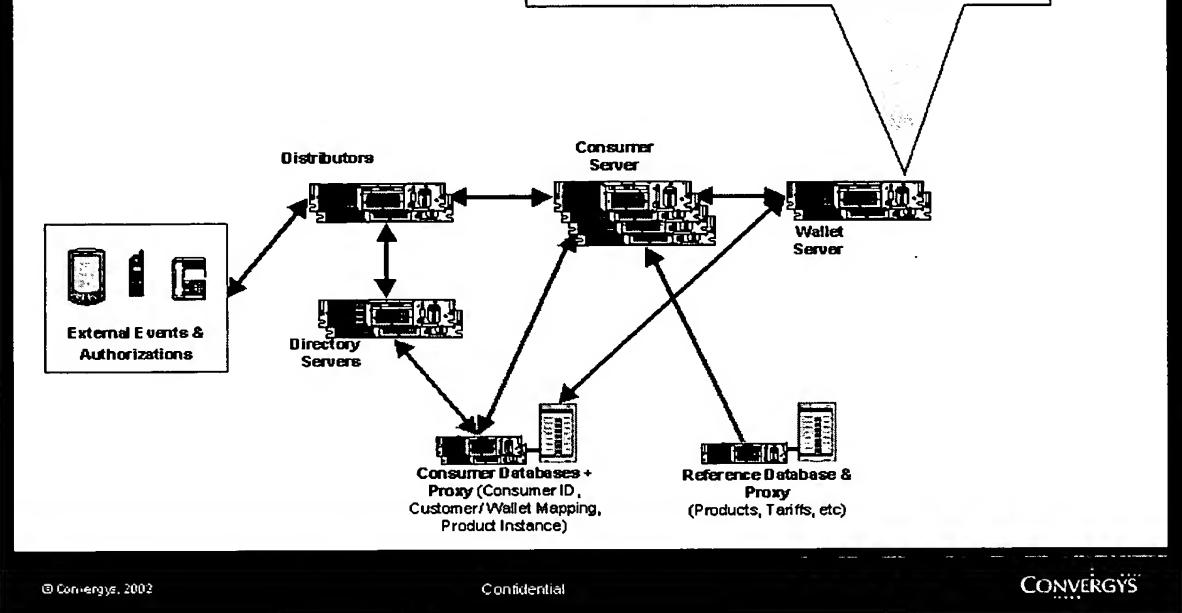
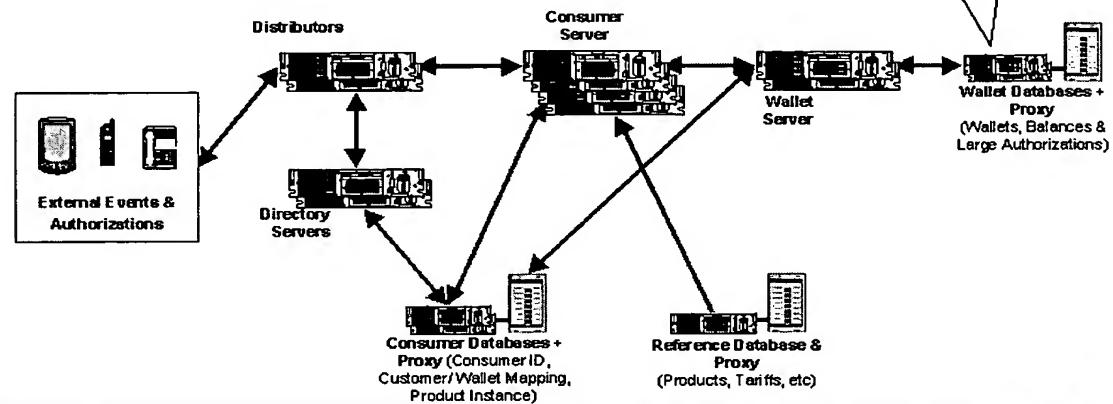


Figure 24

Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Wallet Databases: Persistent storage for Wallets across system restart and Wallet Server failure. Implemented as a number of logical databases spread across a smaller number of physical databases.



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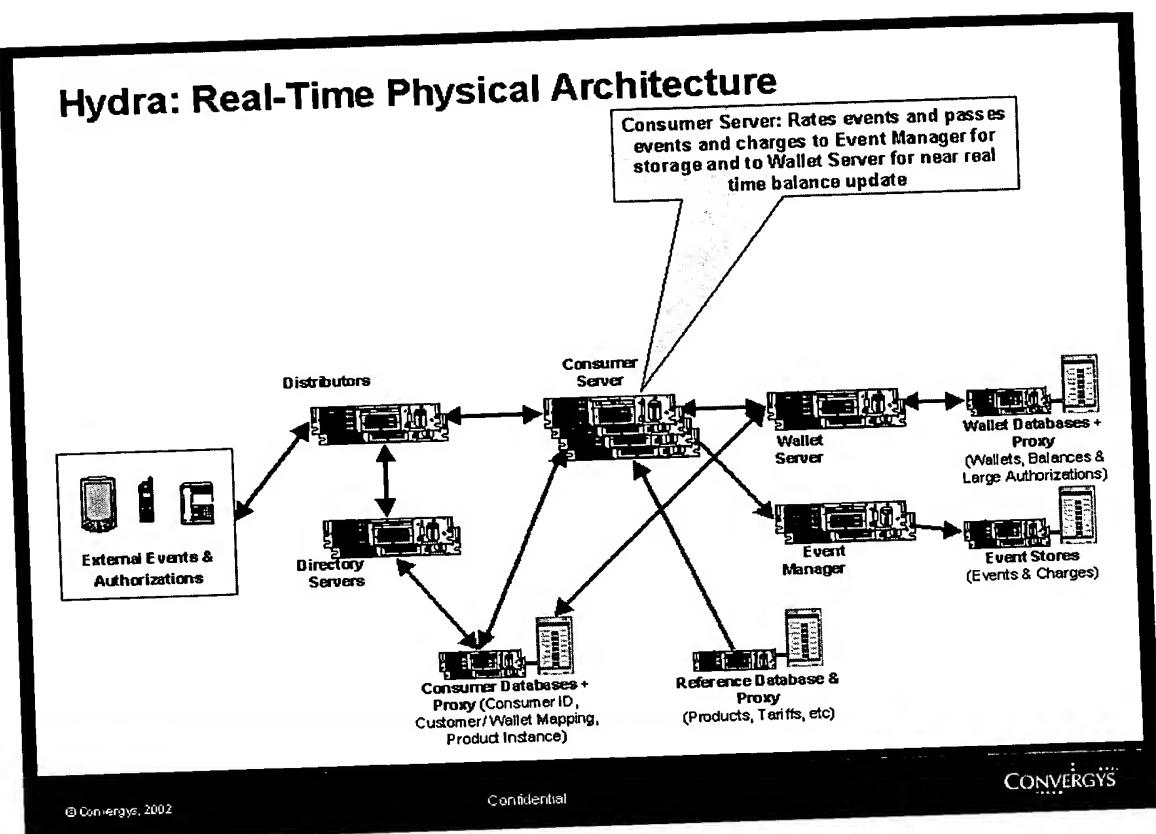
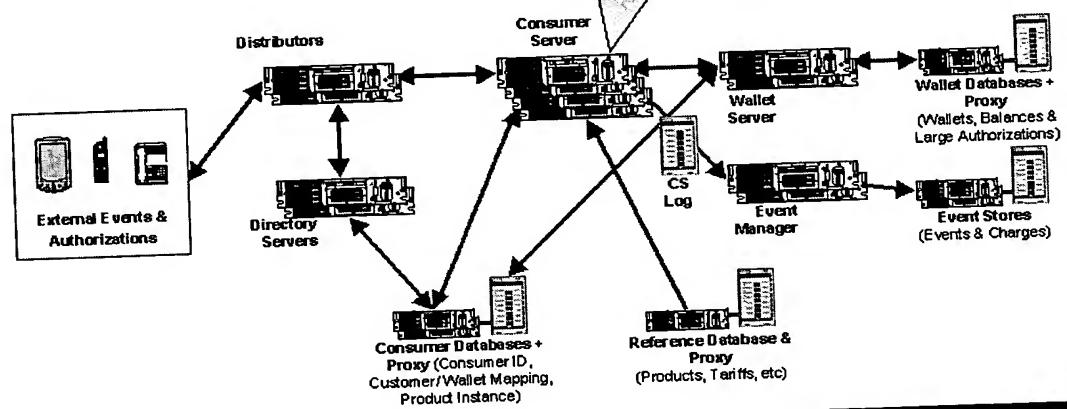


Figure 26

Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Consumer Server: As rating completes all request/event details, charge details, and updated consumer server wallet balances are committed to a log file on storage external to the consumer server (together with CoS information), and events are then acknowledged.



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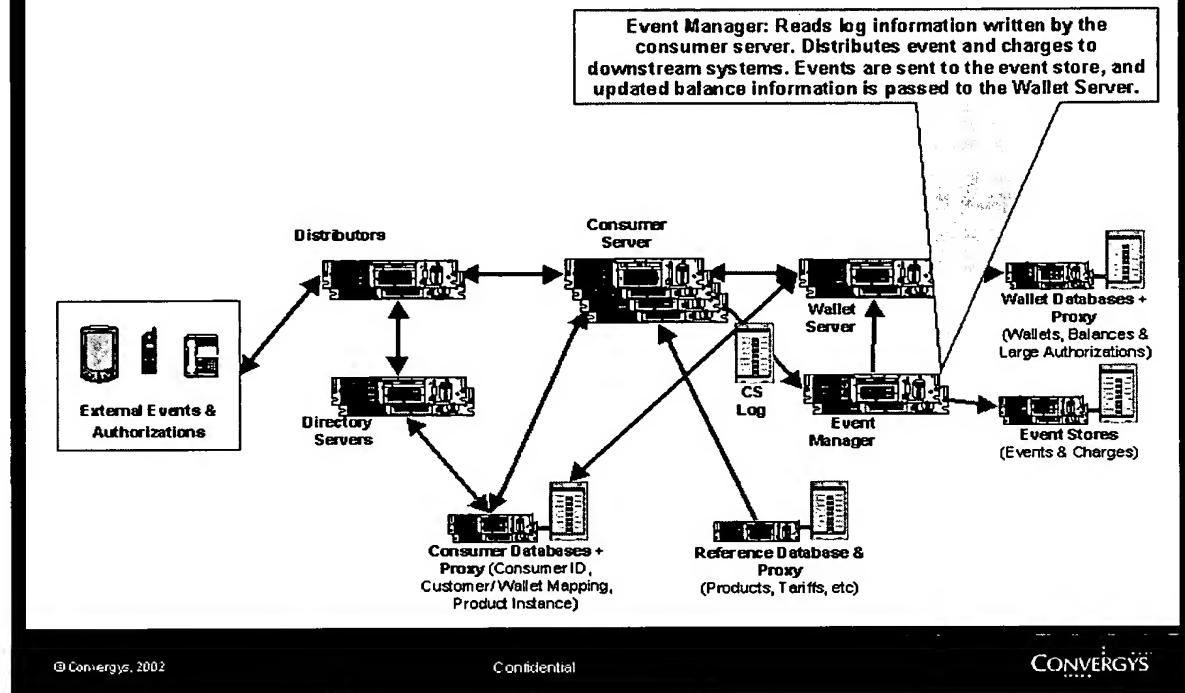


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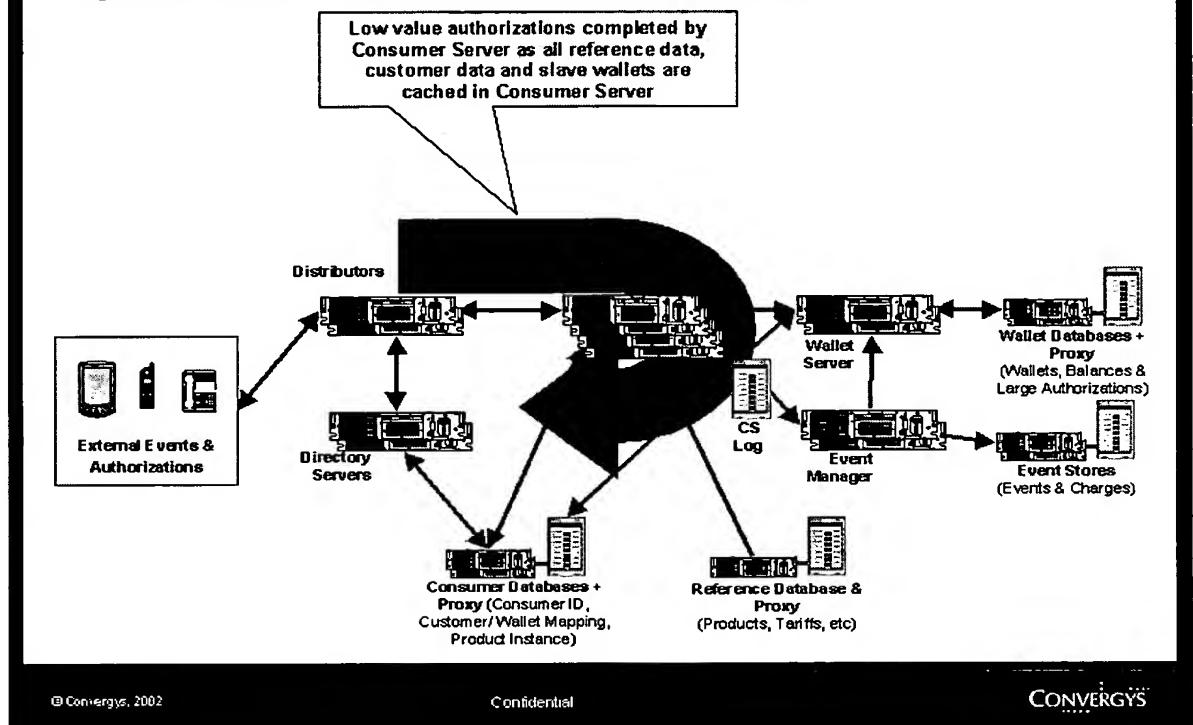


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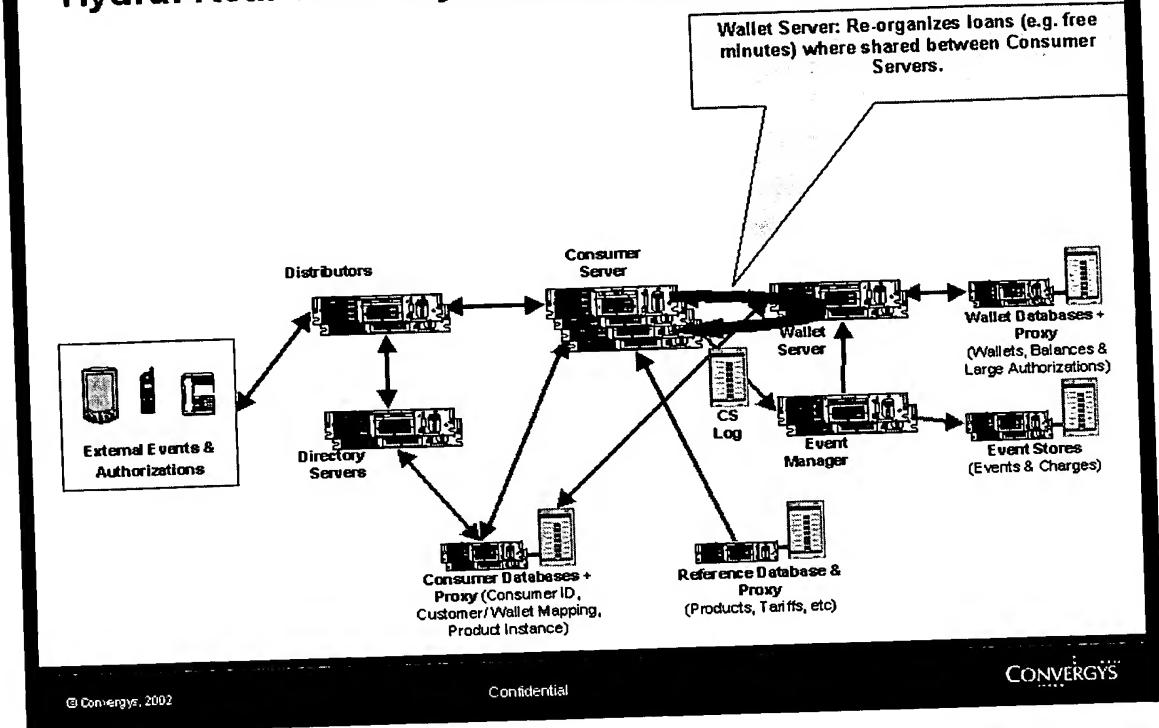
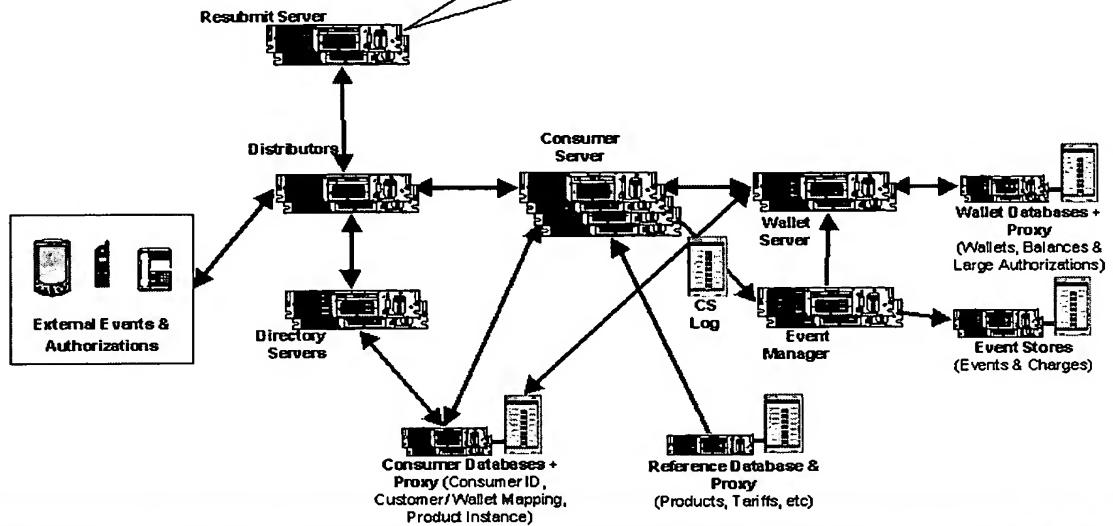


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Hydra: Real-Time Physical Architecture

Resubmit Server: Resubmits requests that timeout due to any server failure, provided the request has been marked for resubmission.



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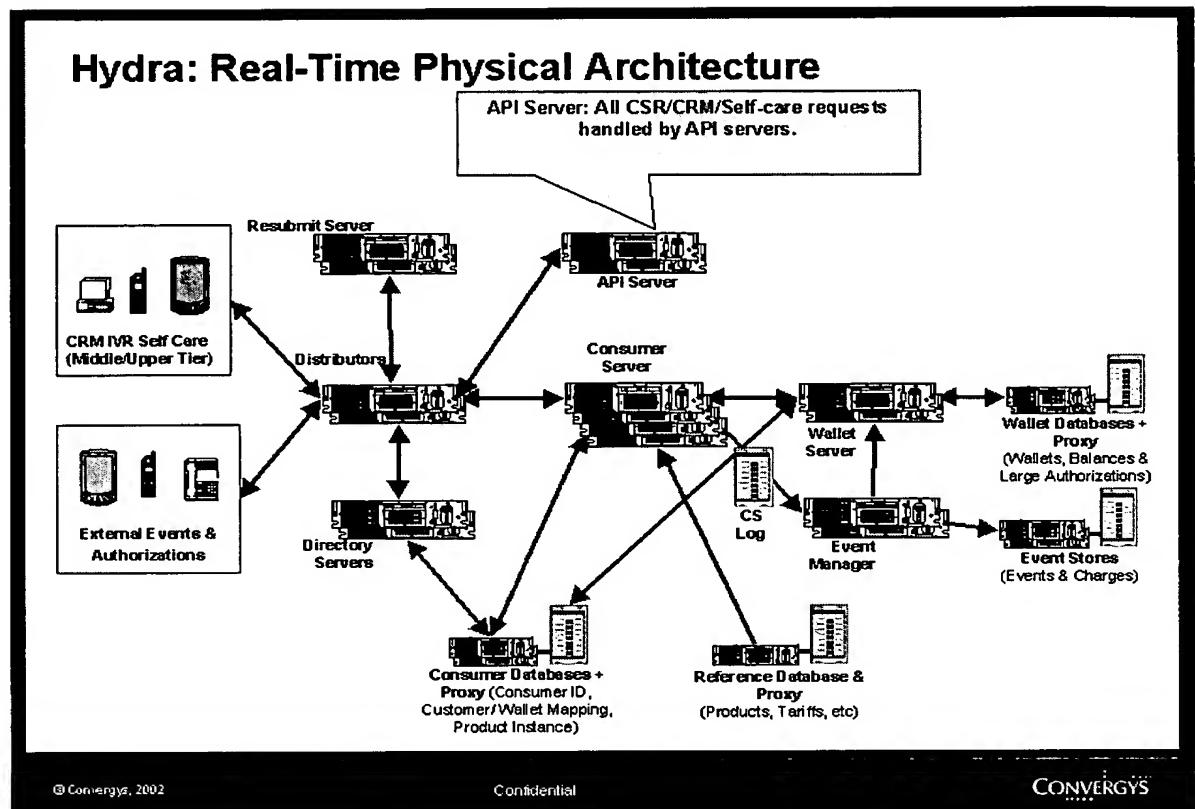


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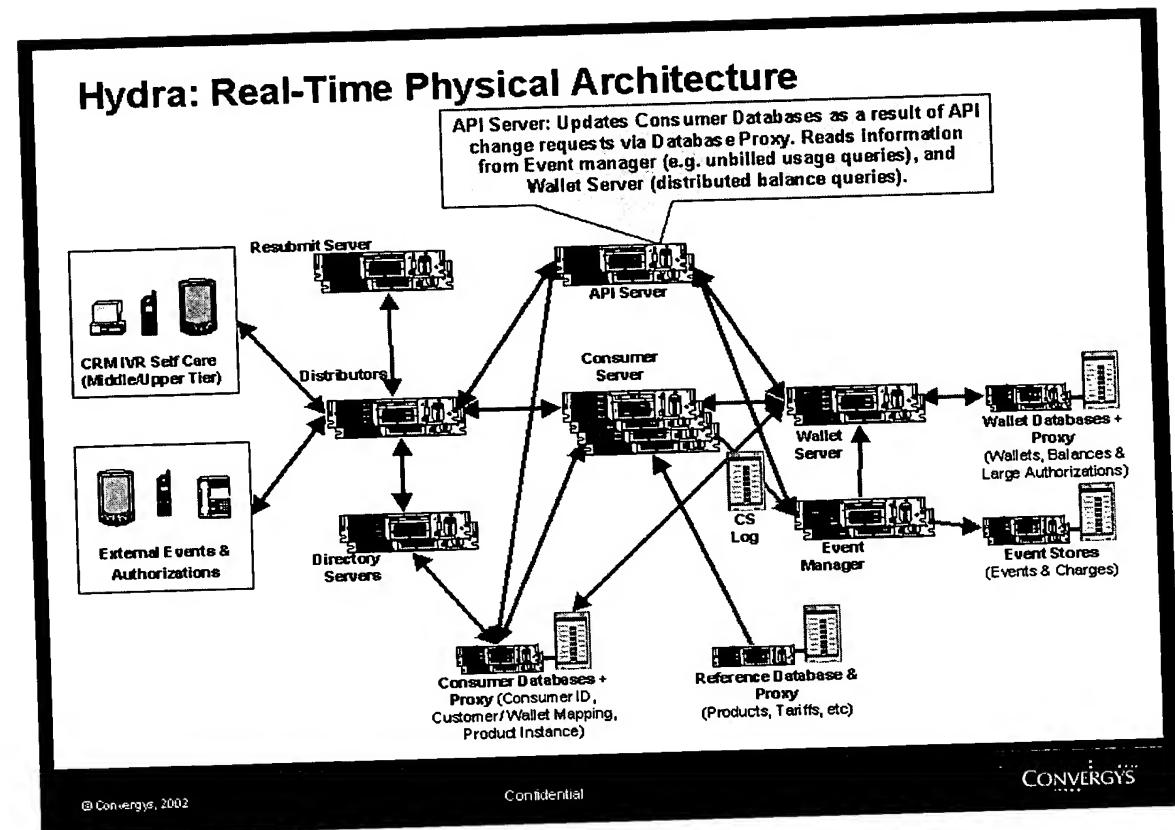


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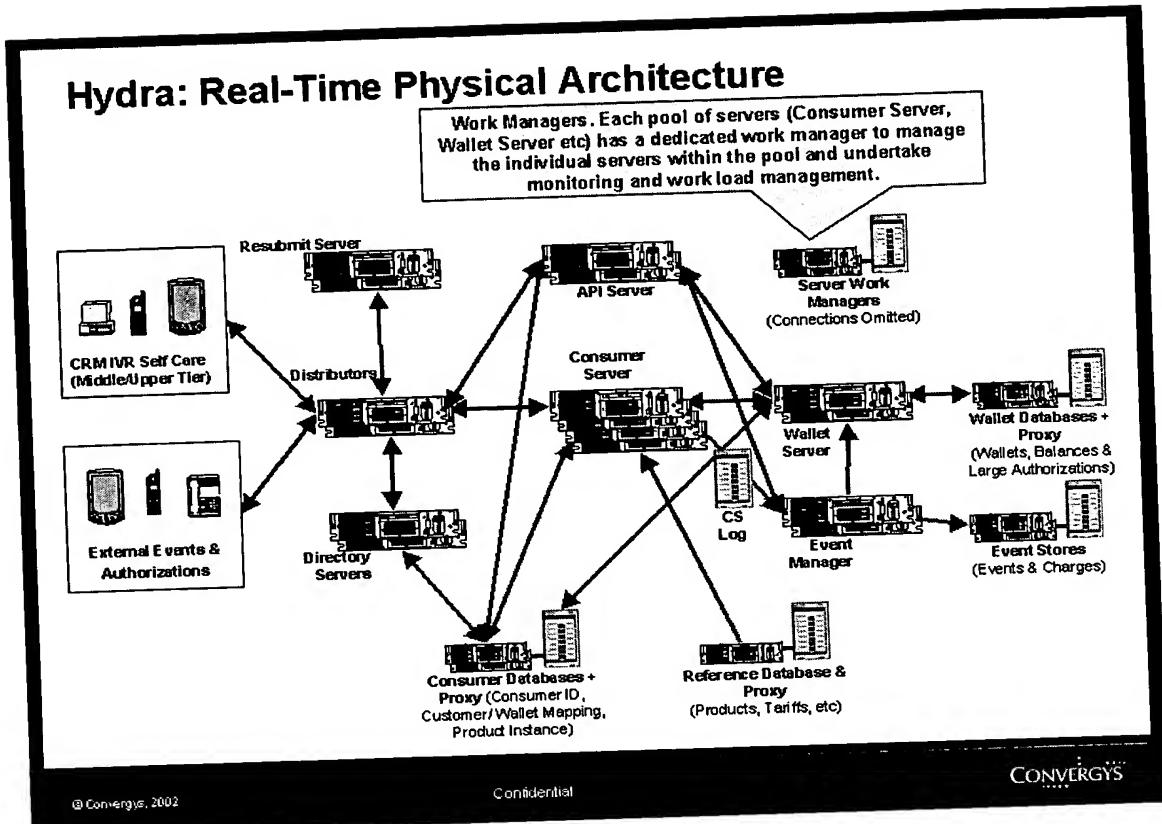


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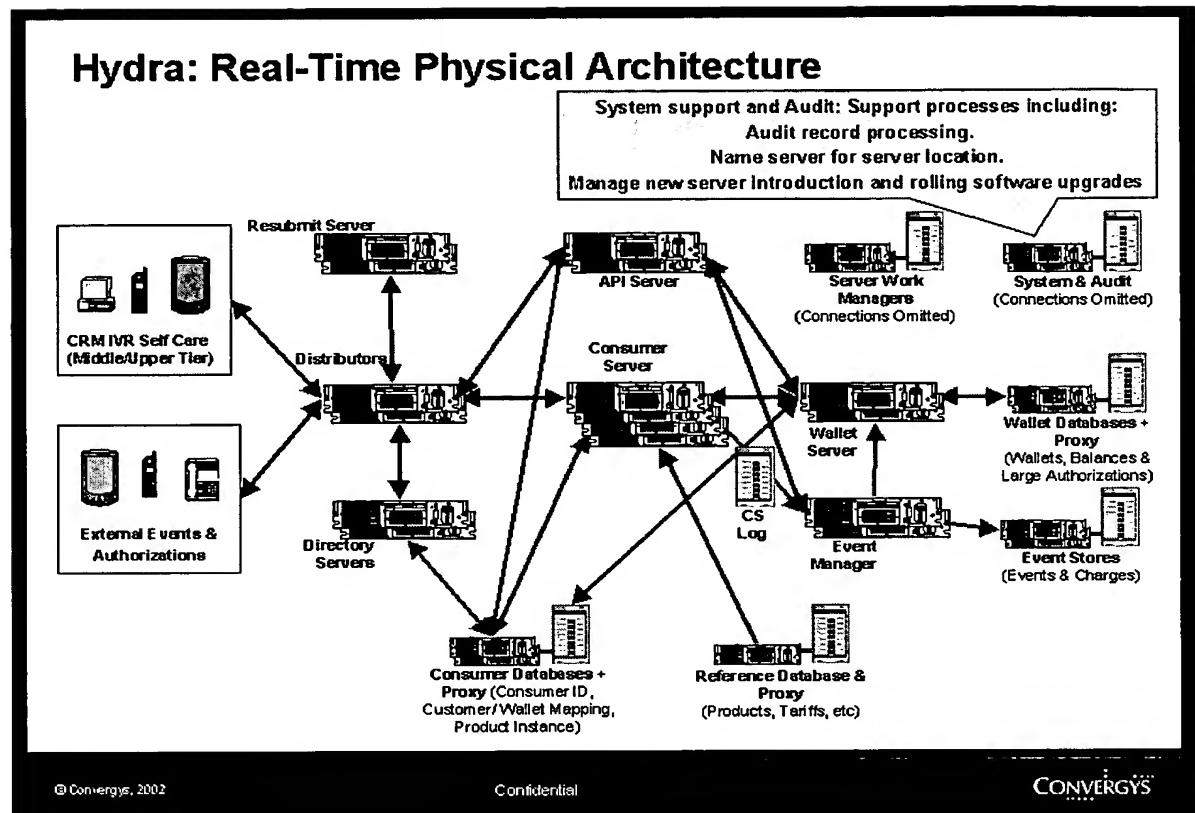


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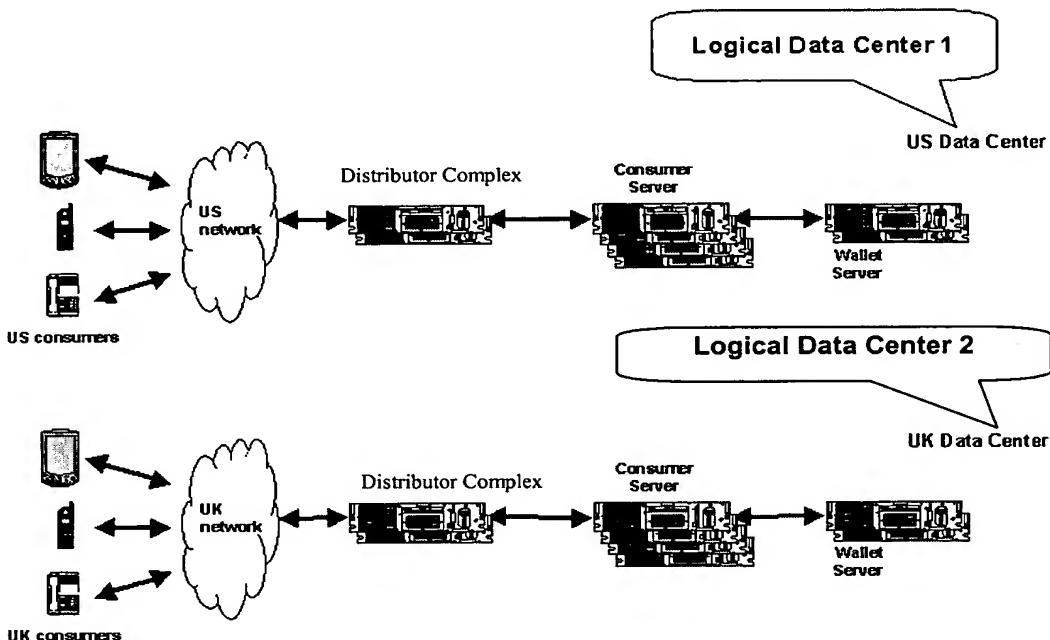


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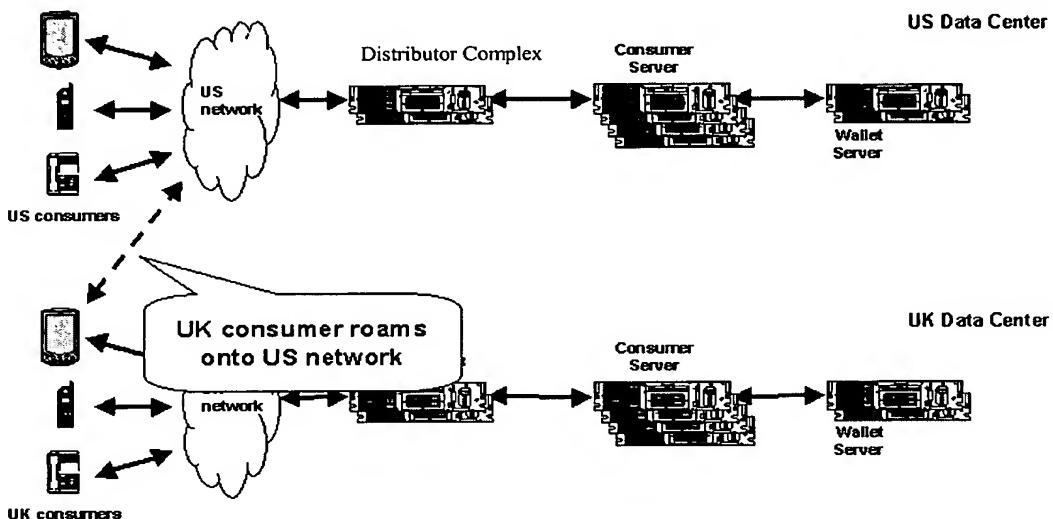


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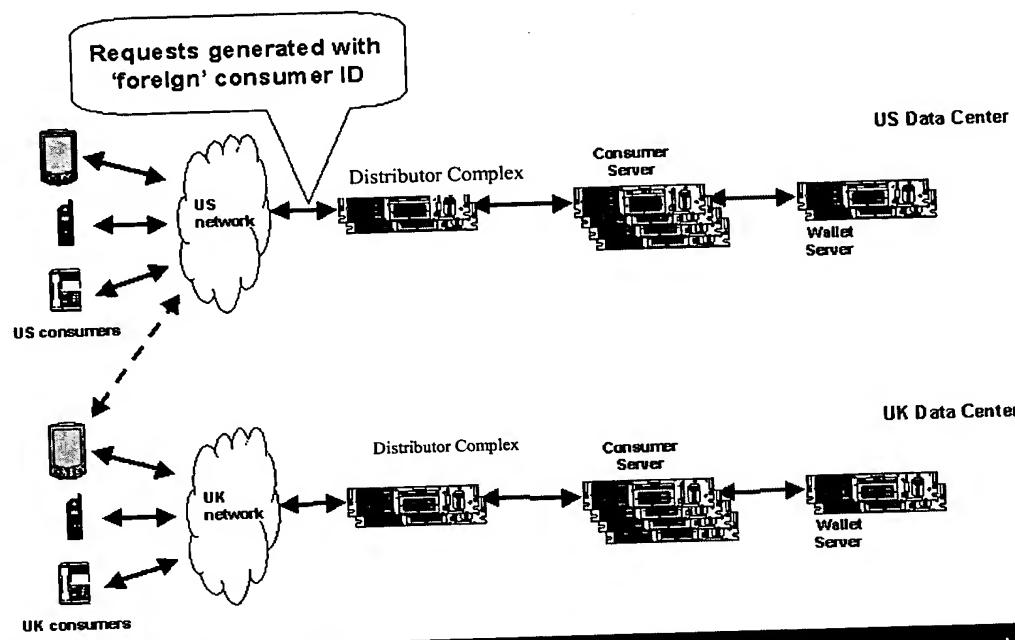


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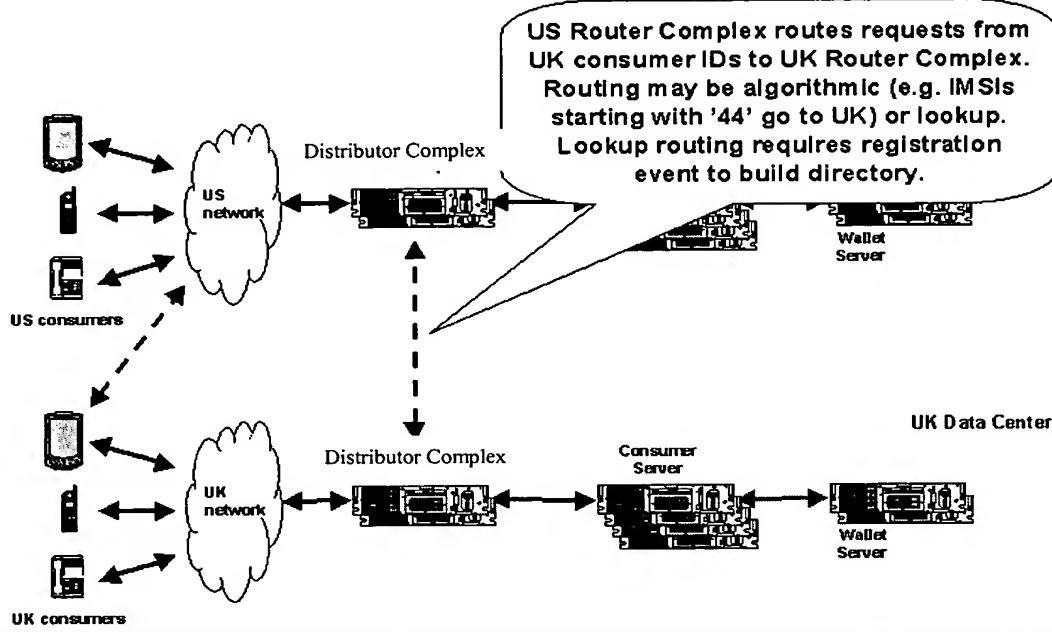


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Scenario 1 – Wallet shared across data centers

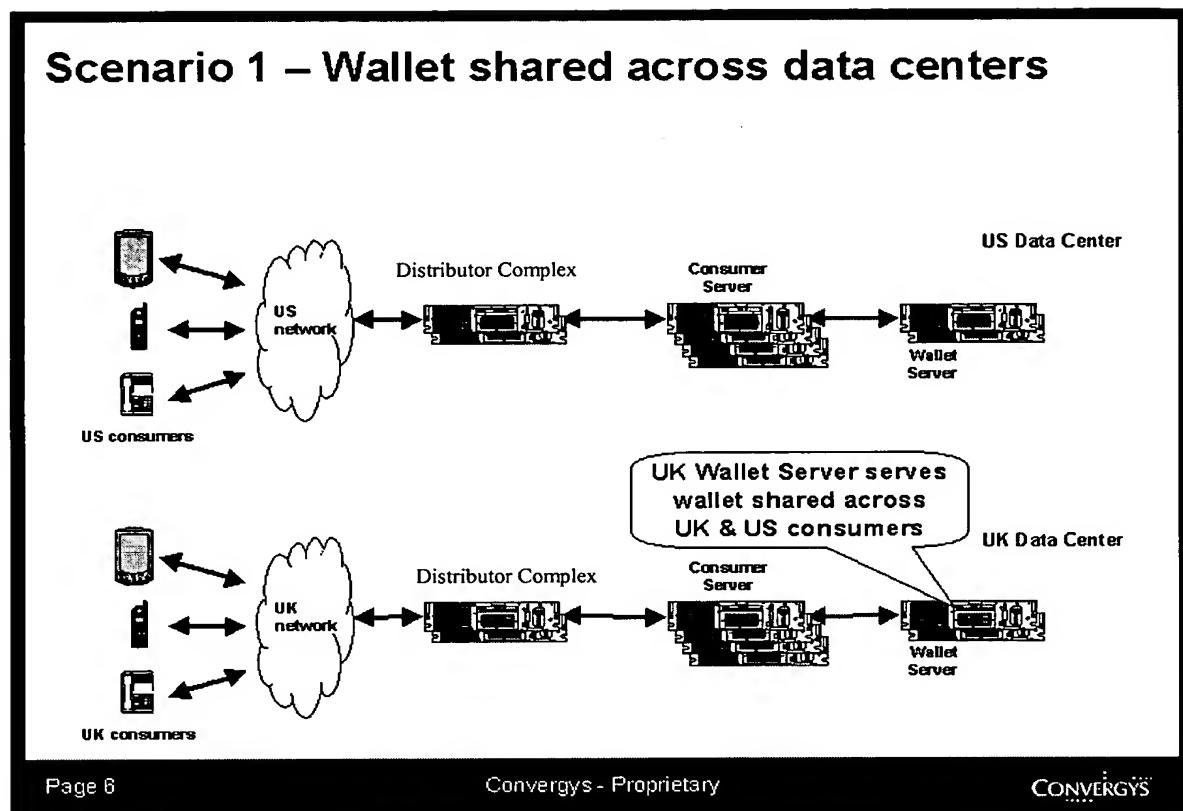


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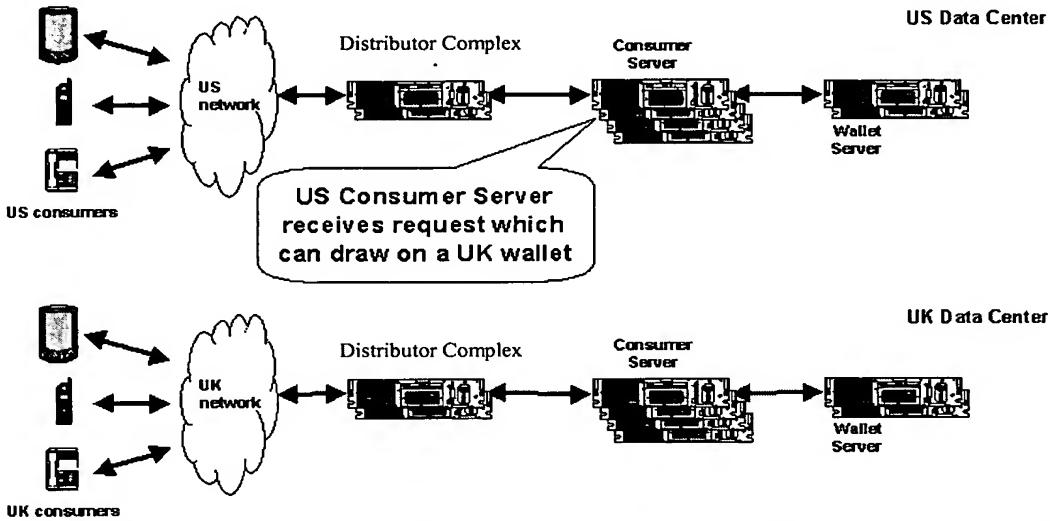


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Scenario 1 – Wallet shared across data centers

Wallets from which a consumer ID can consume are tagged with both the Logical Data Store (which identifies Logical Wallet Server) and Logical Data Center. US Consumer Server can therefore request slave wallet from UK Wallet Server.

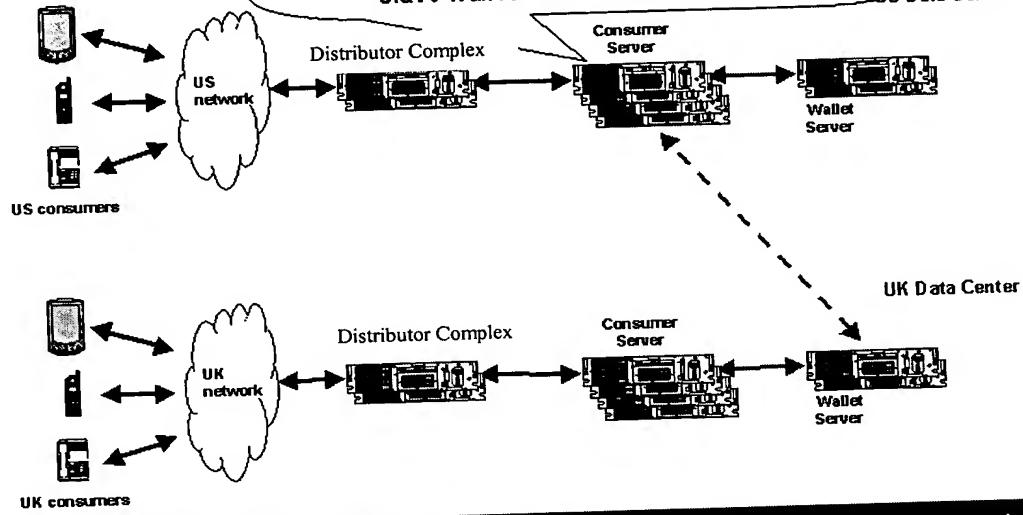


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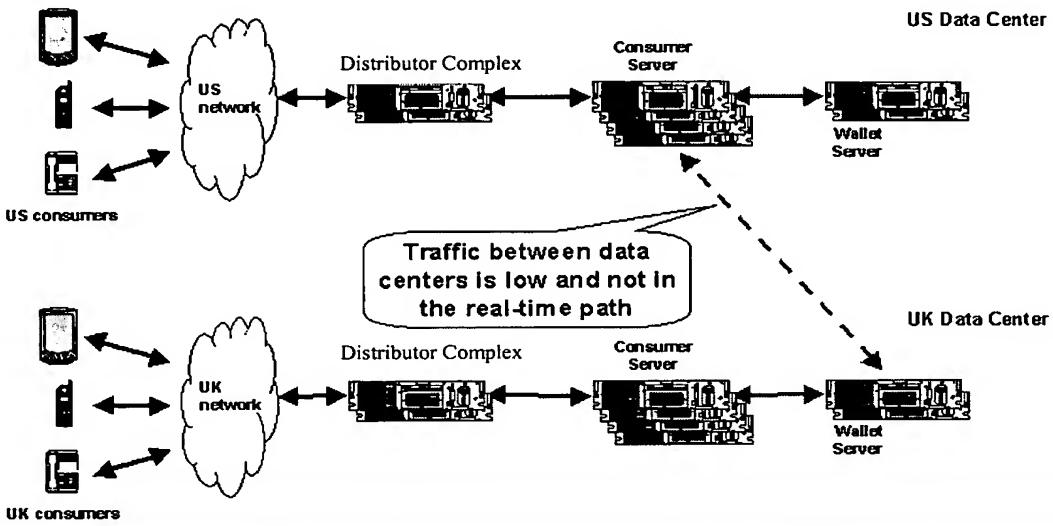


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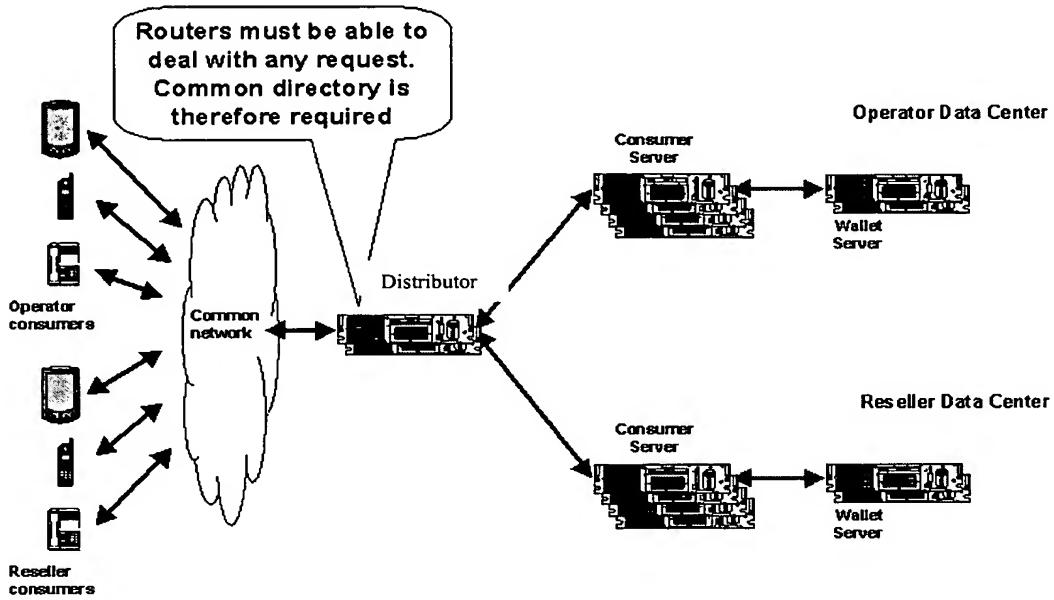


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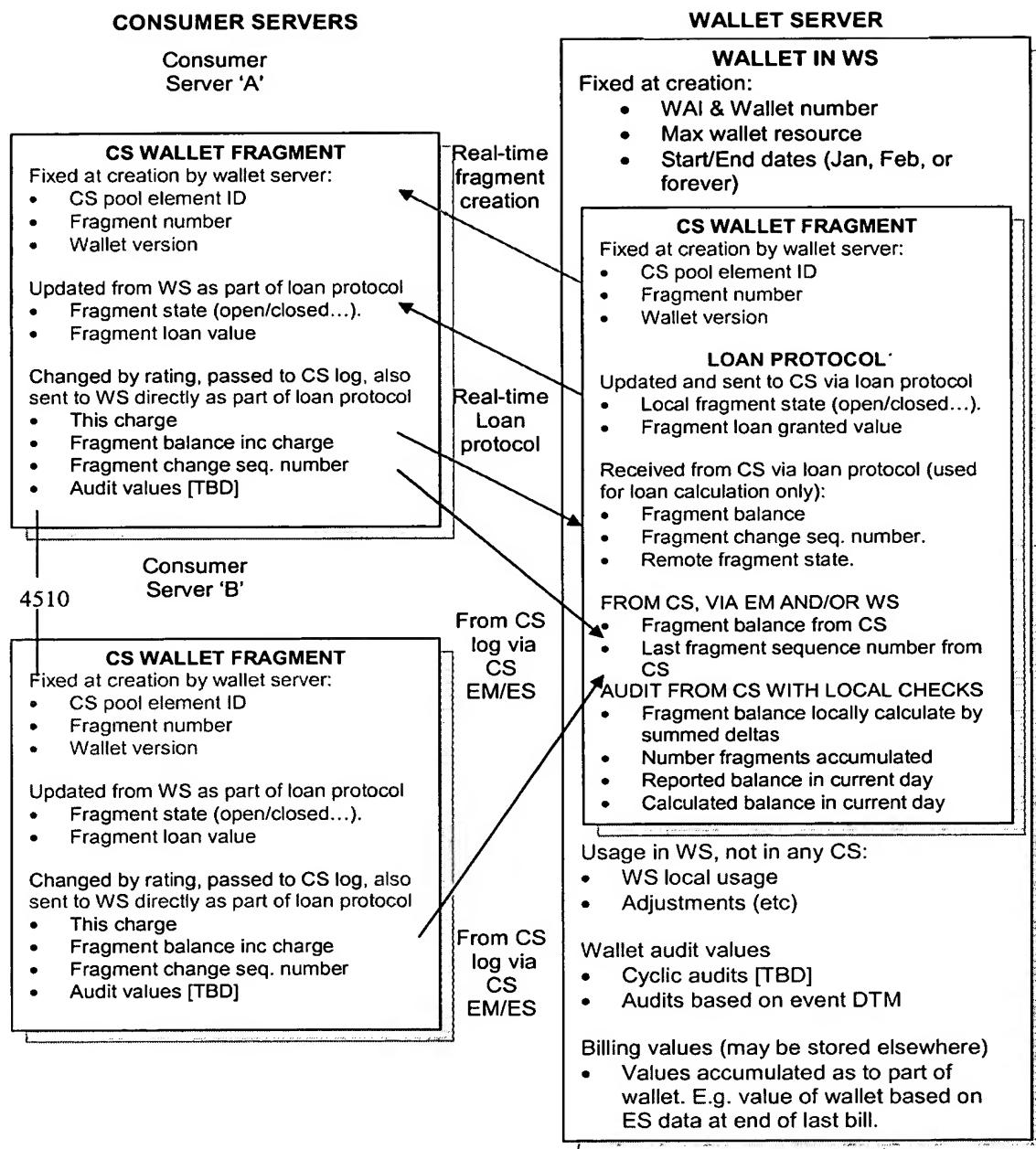


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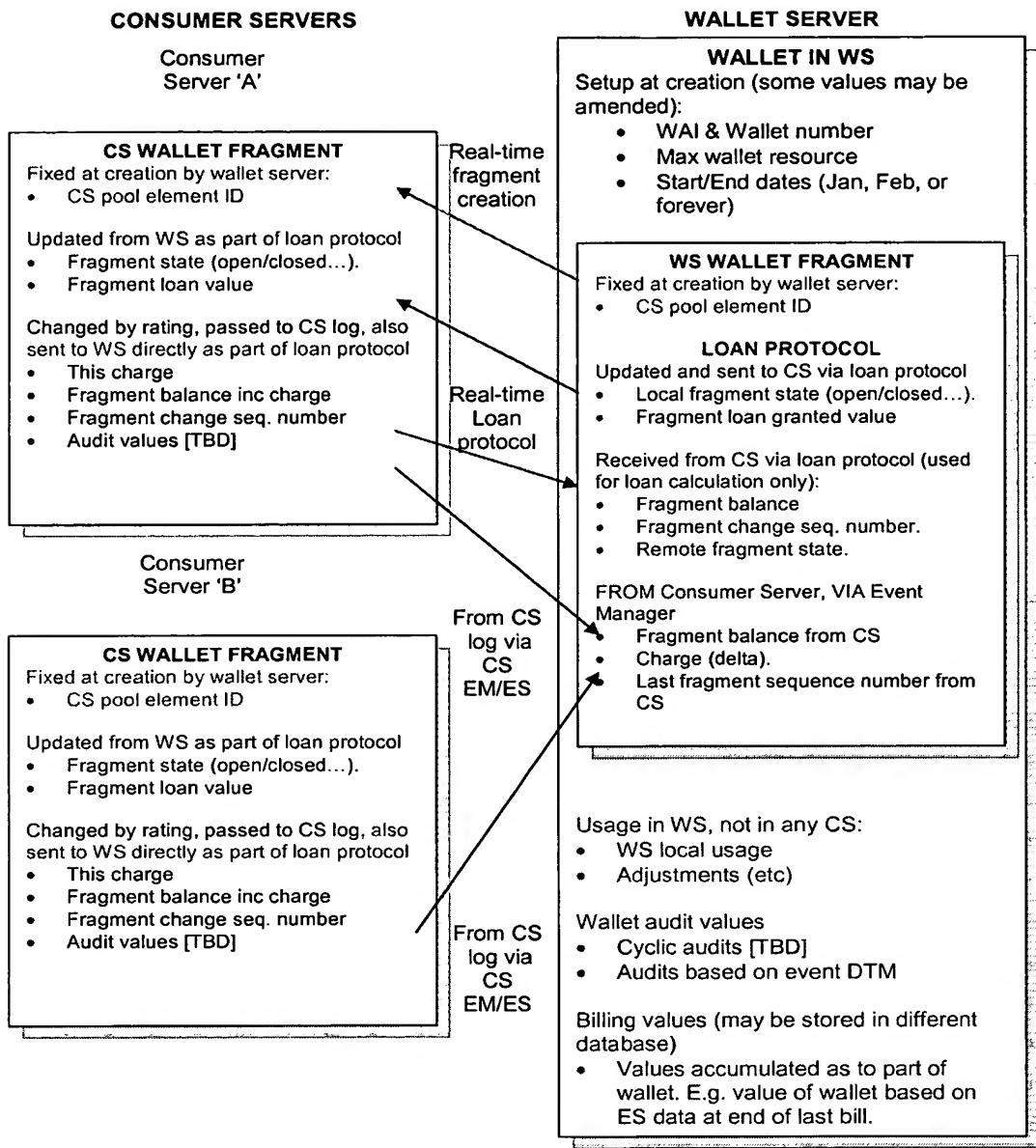


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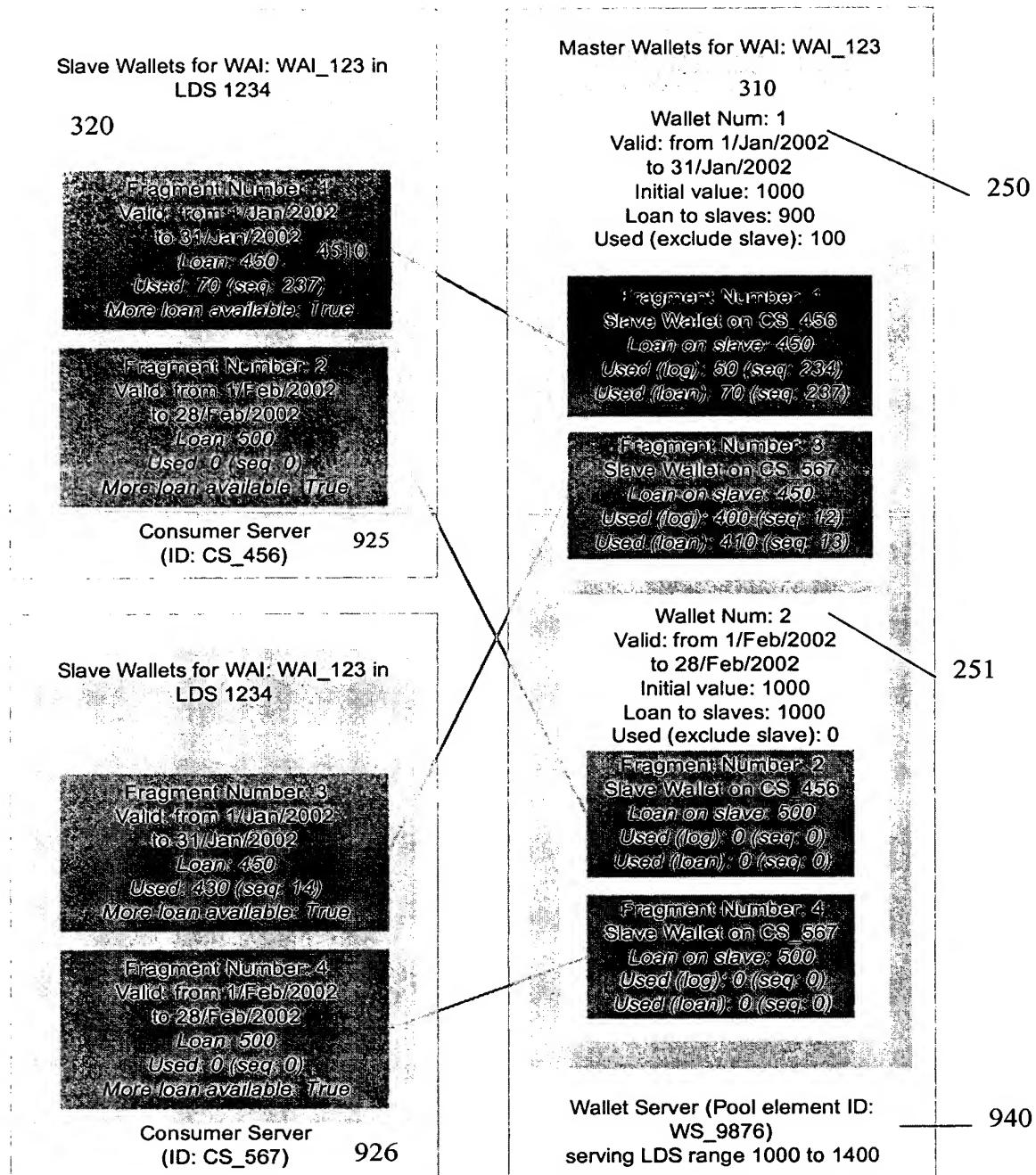


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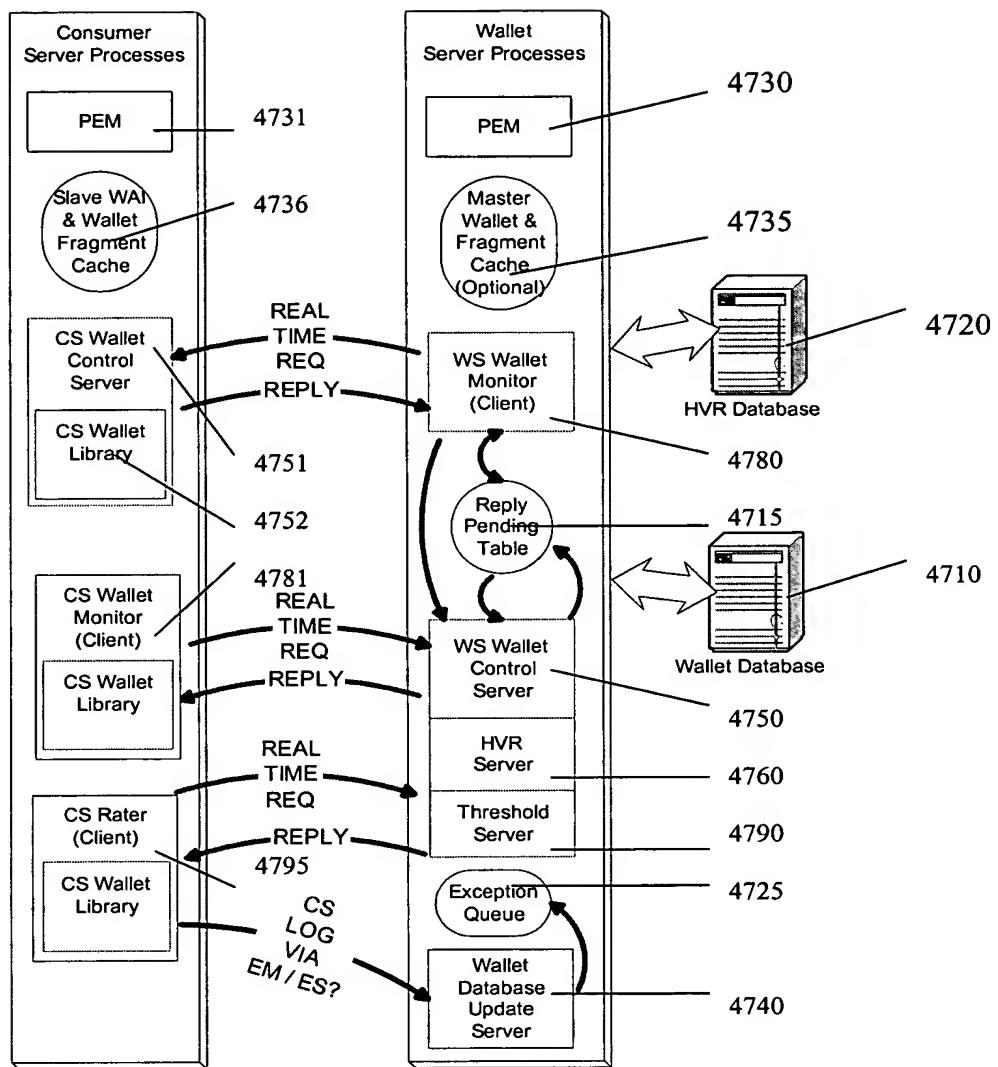


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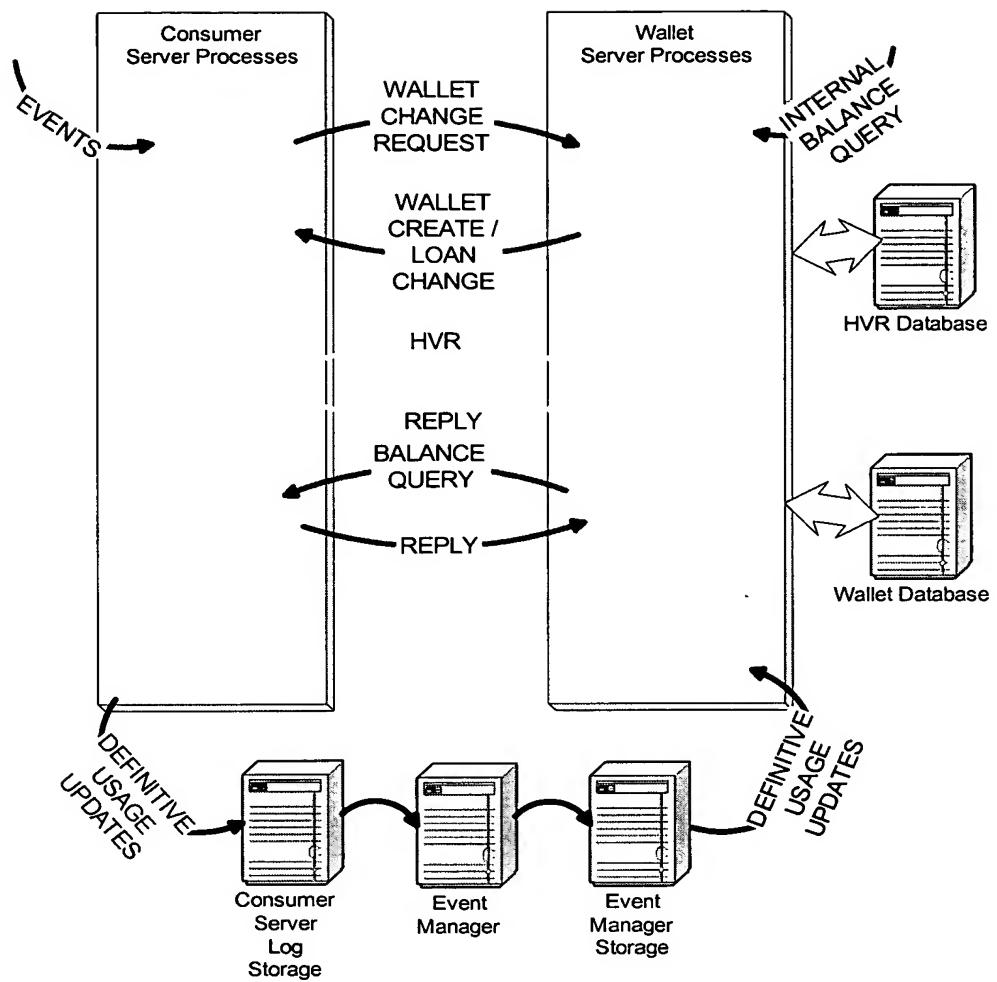


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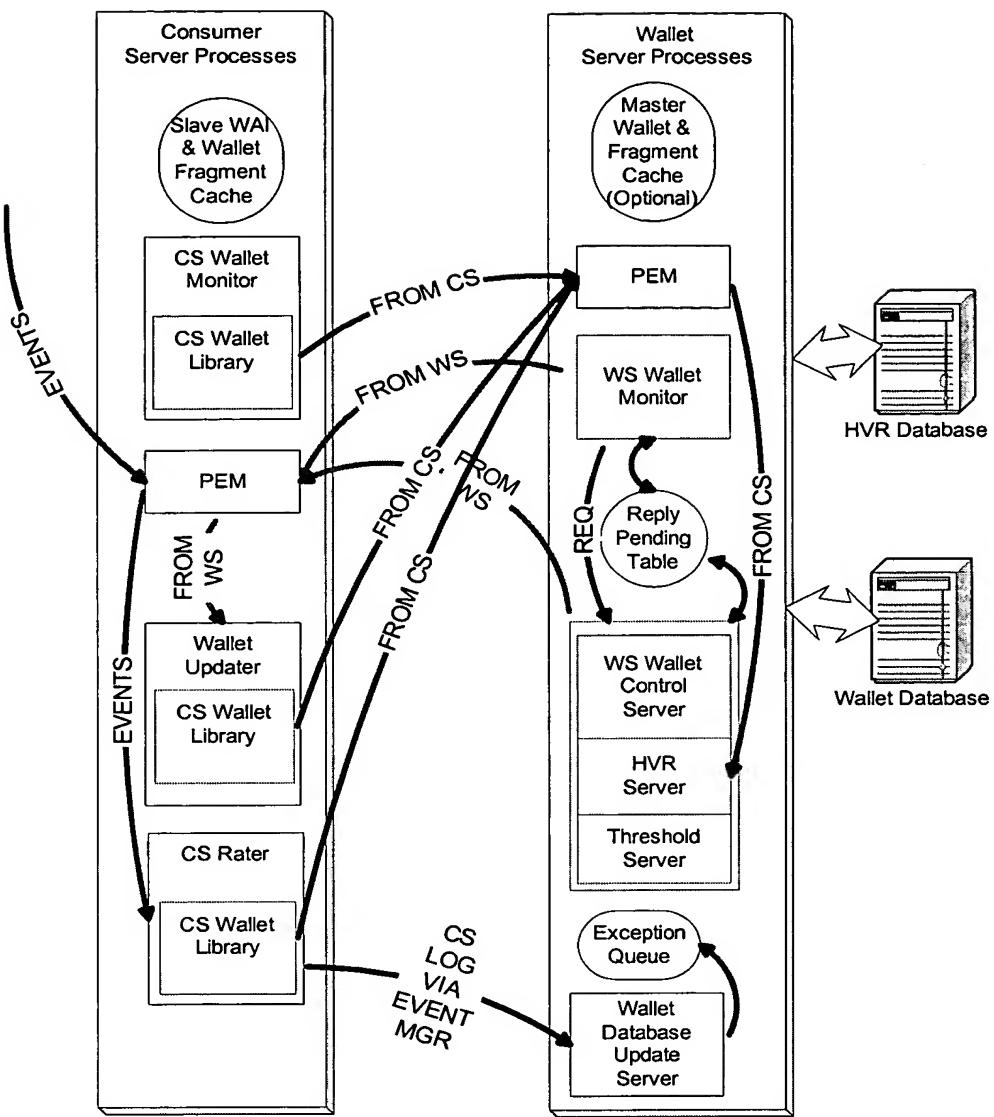


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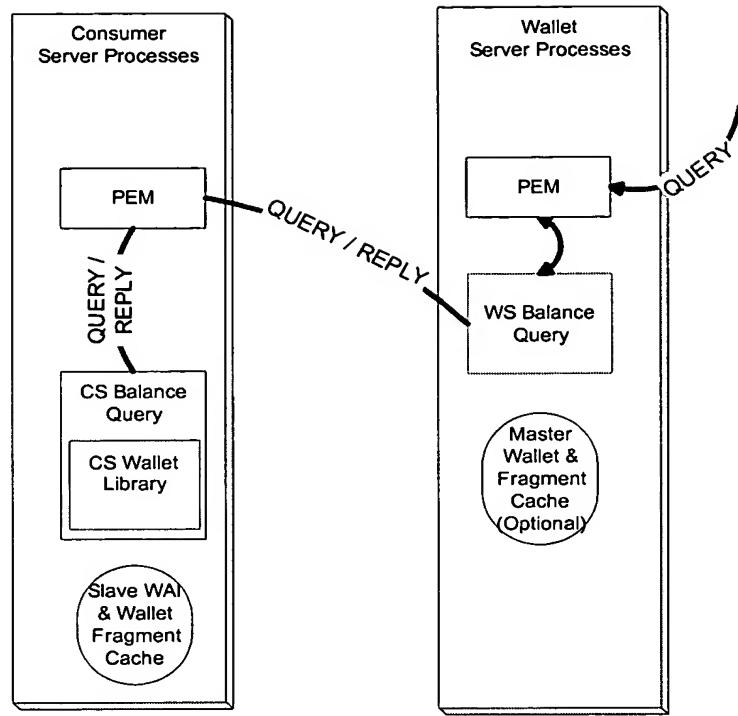


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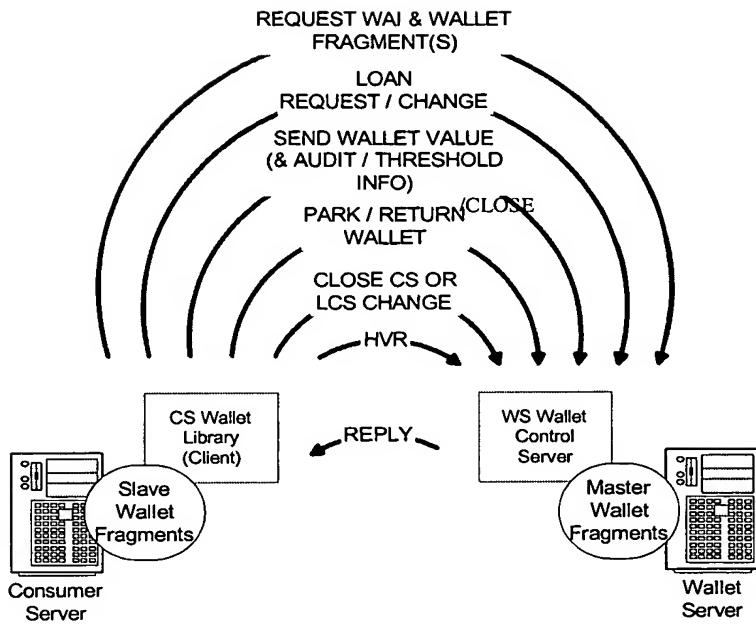


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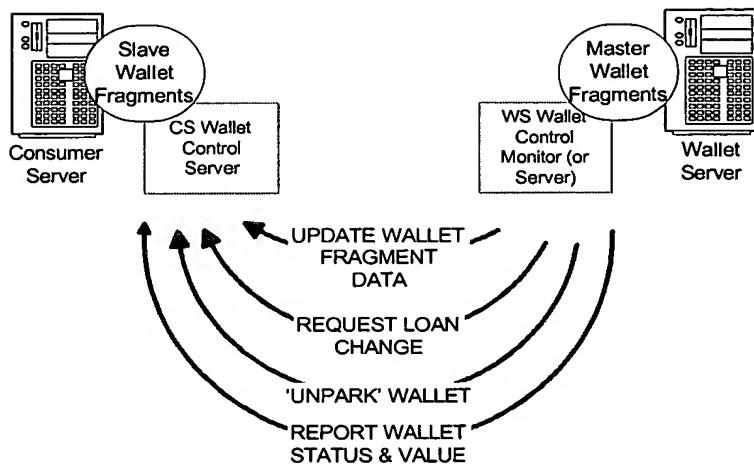


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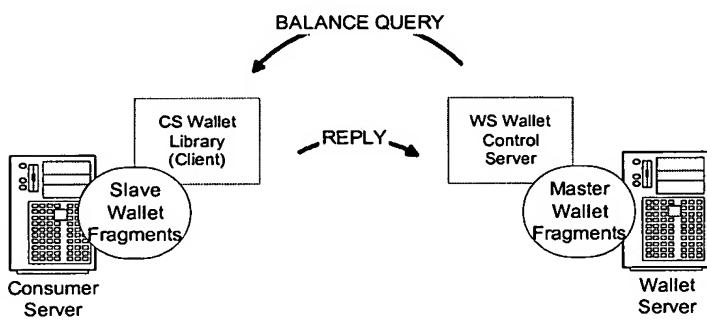


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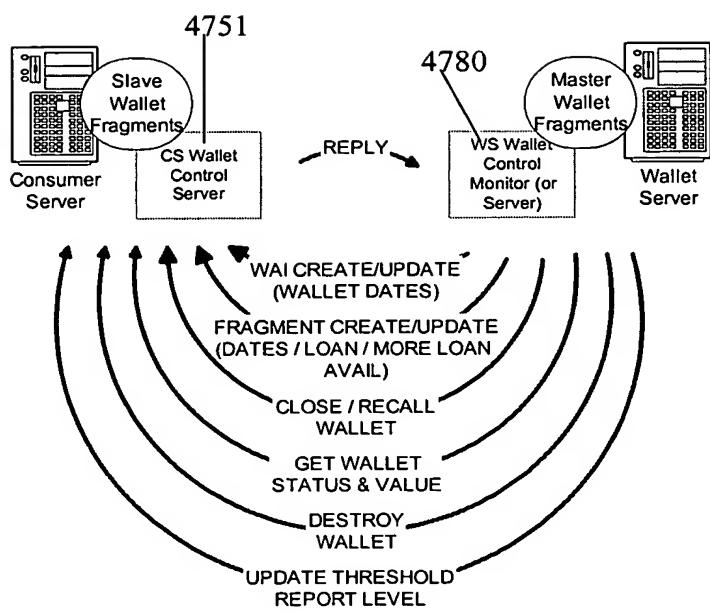


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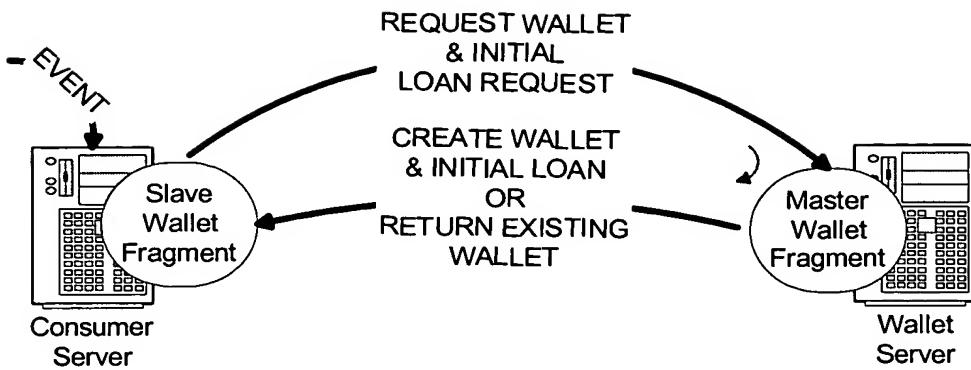


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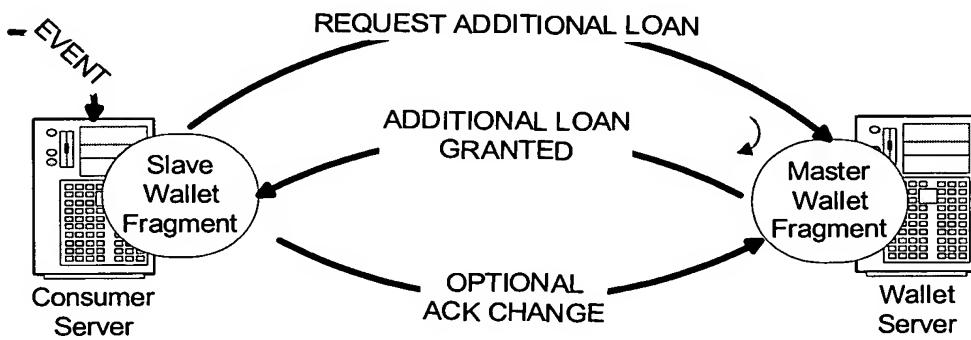


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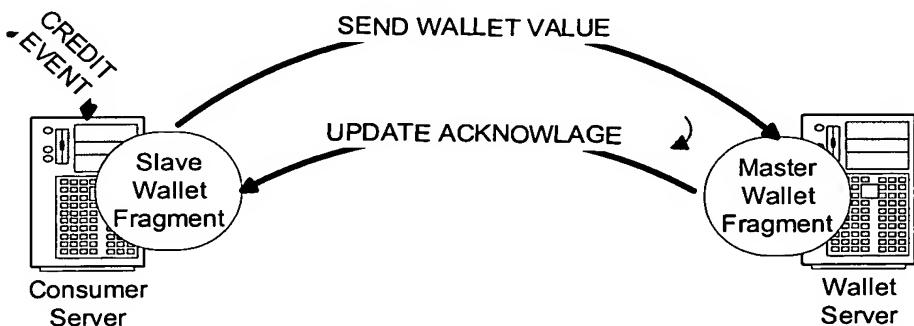


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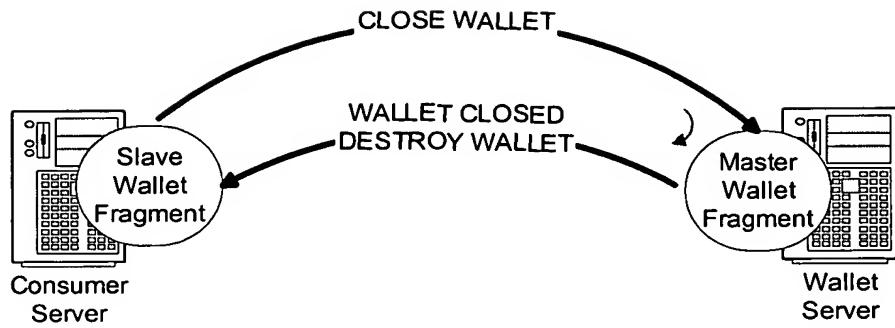


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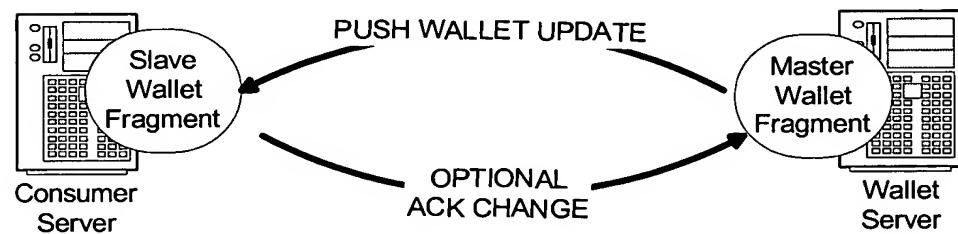


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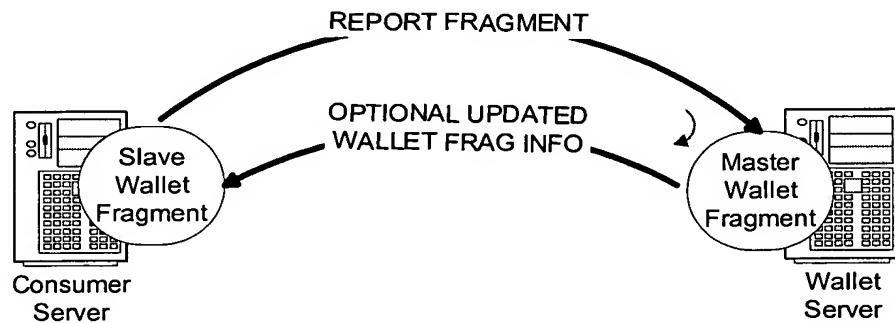


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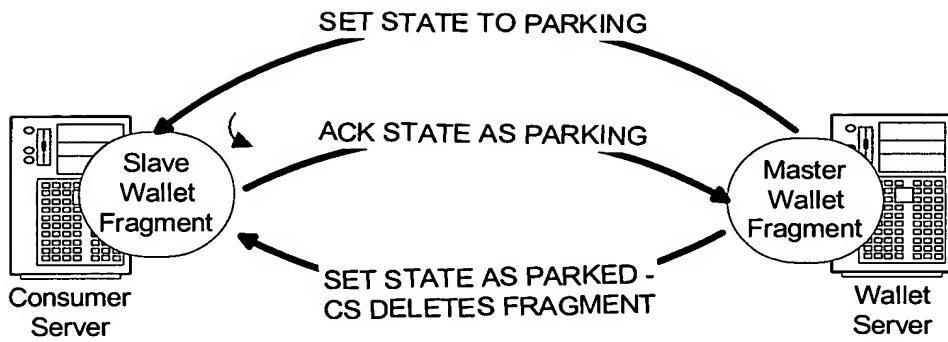


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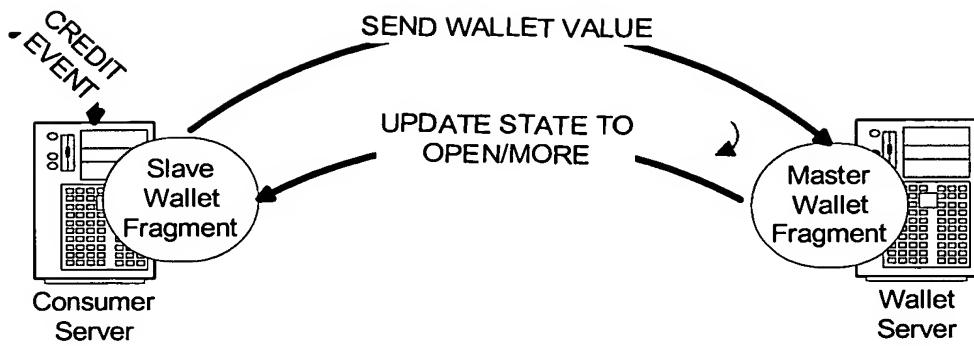


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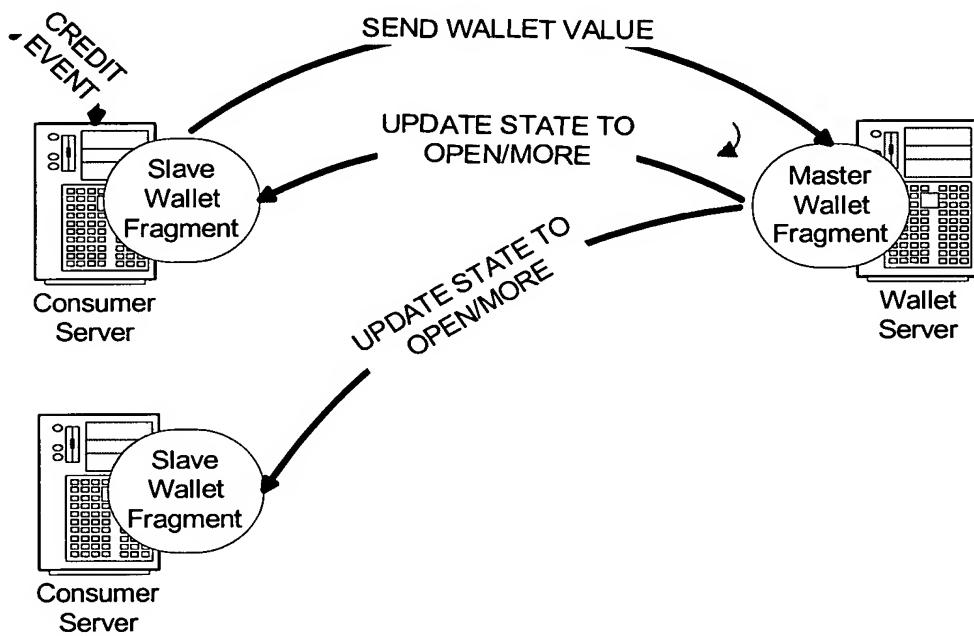


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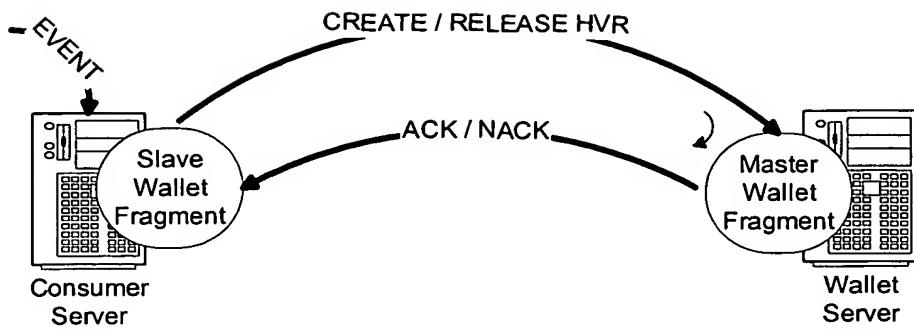


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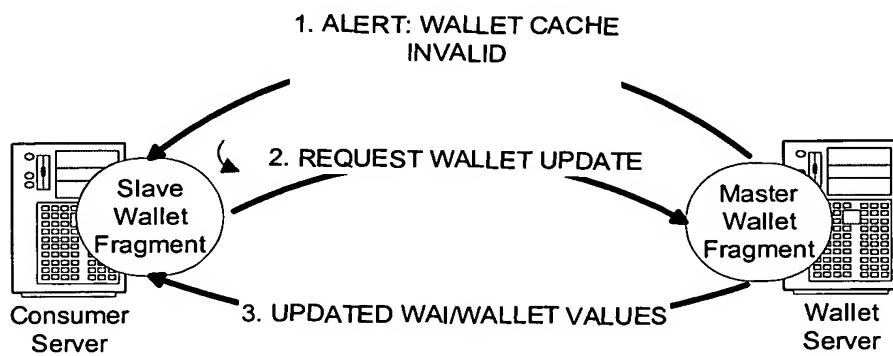


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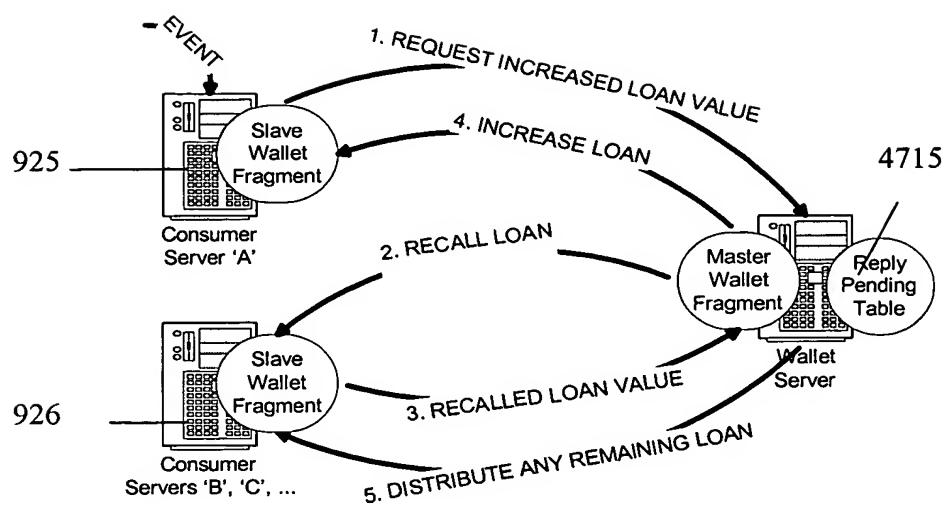


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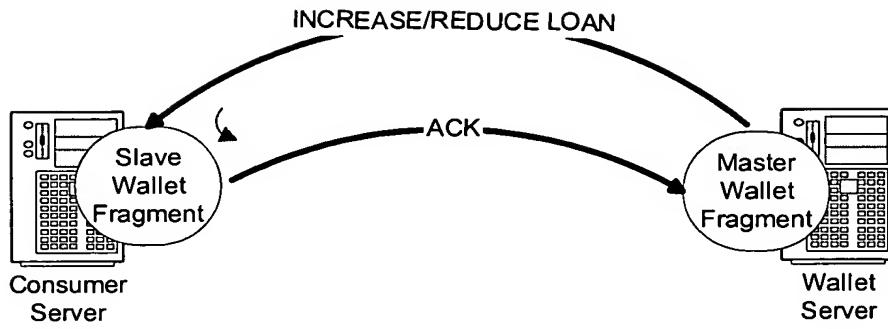


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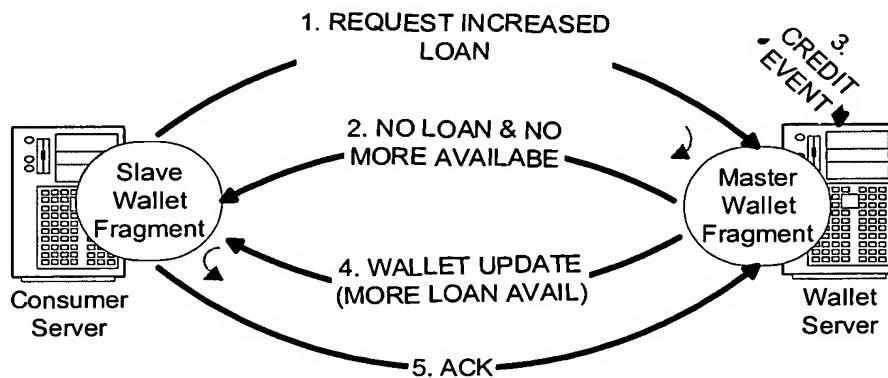


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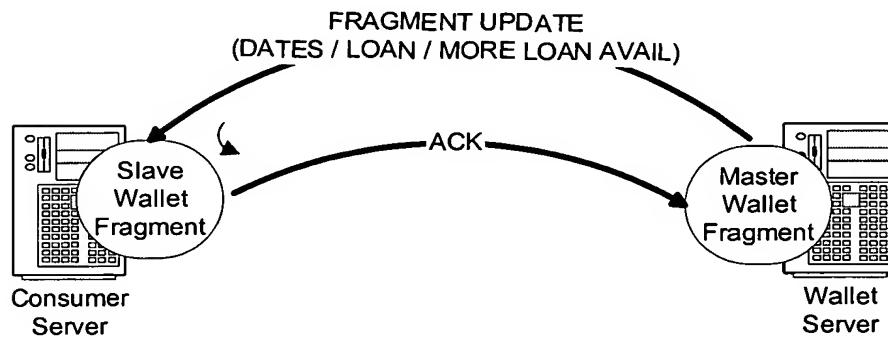


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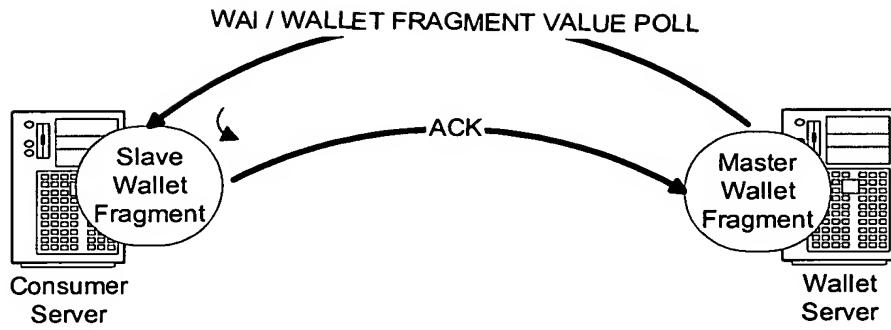


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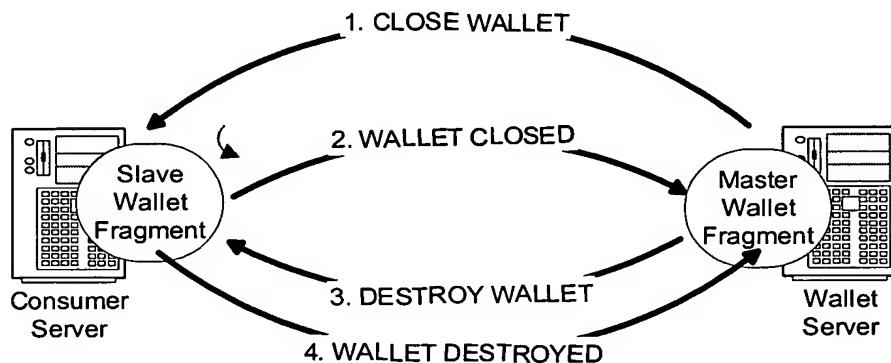


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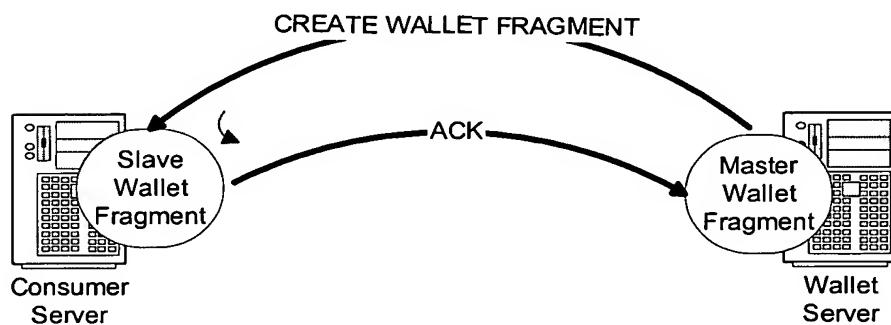


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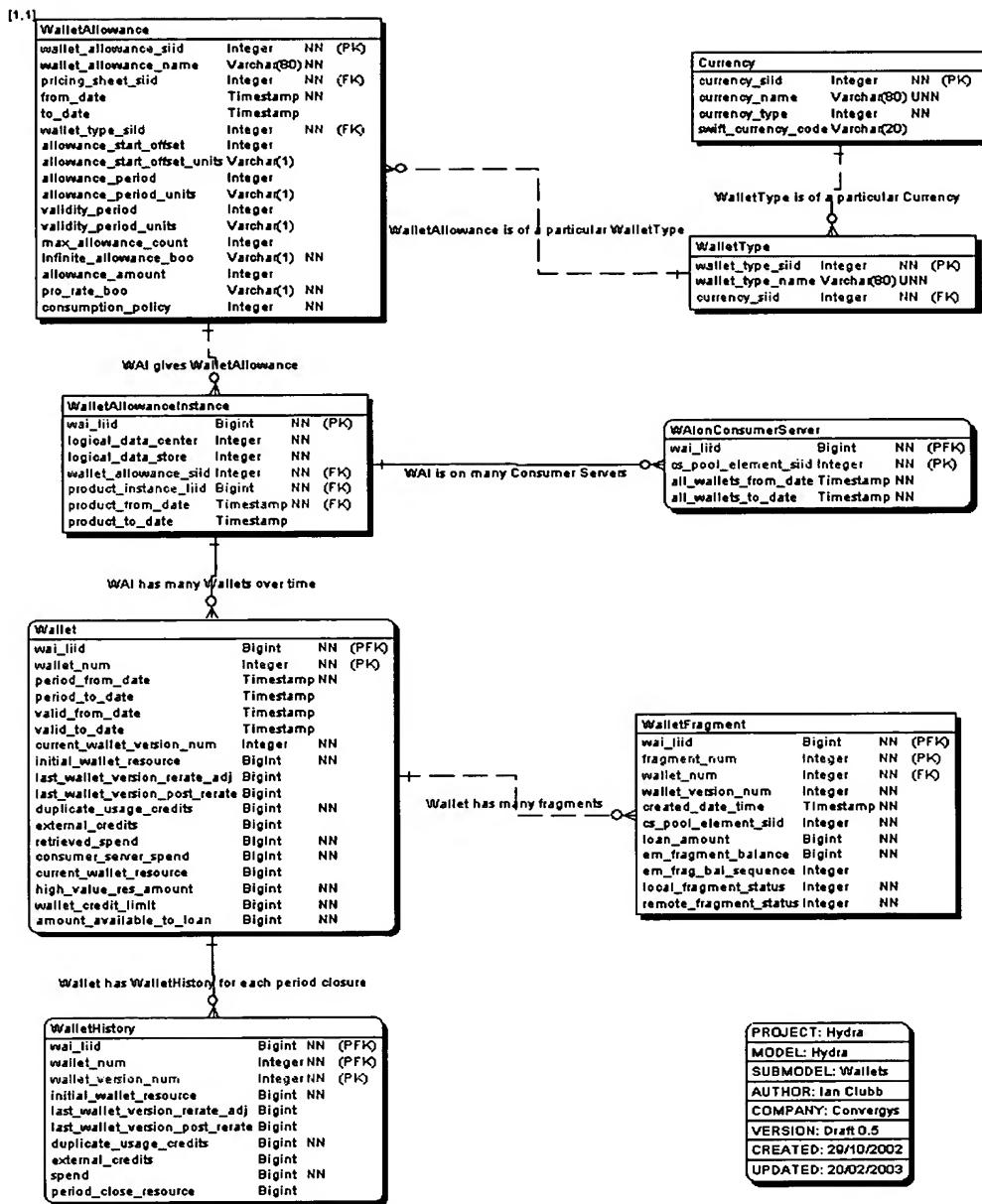


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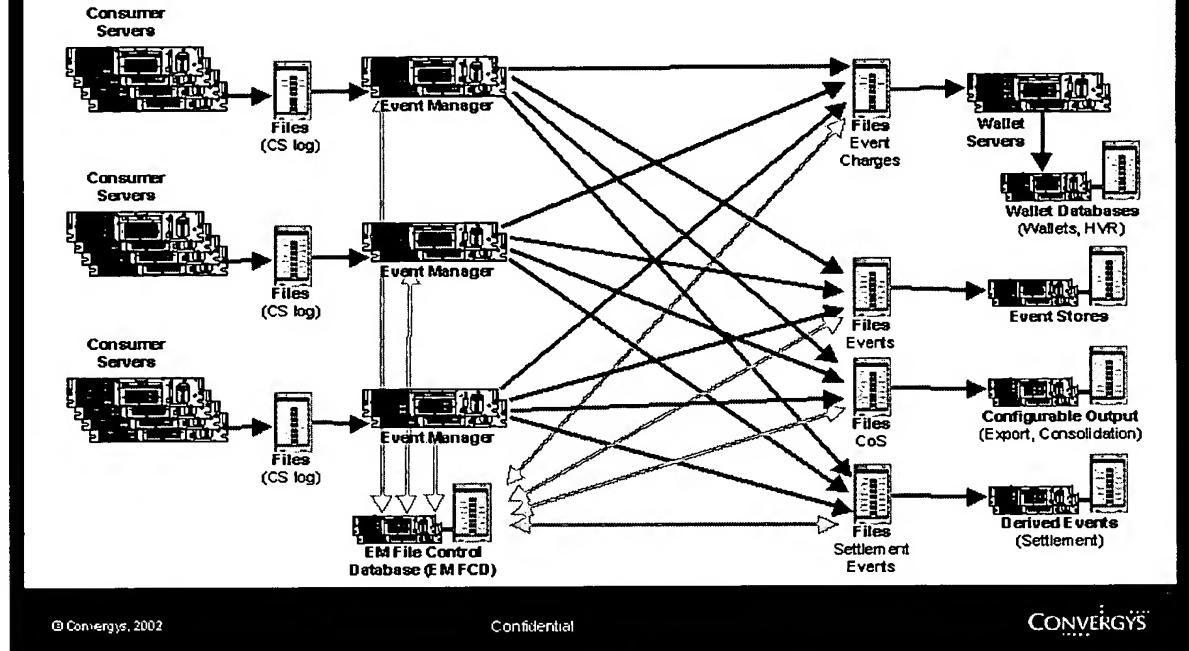


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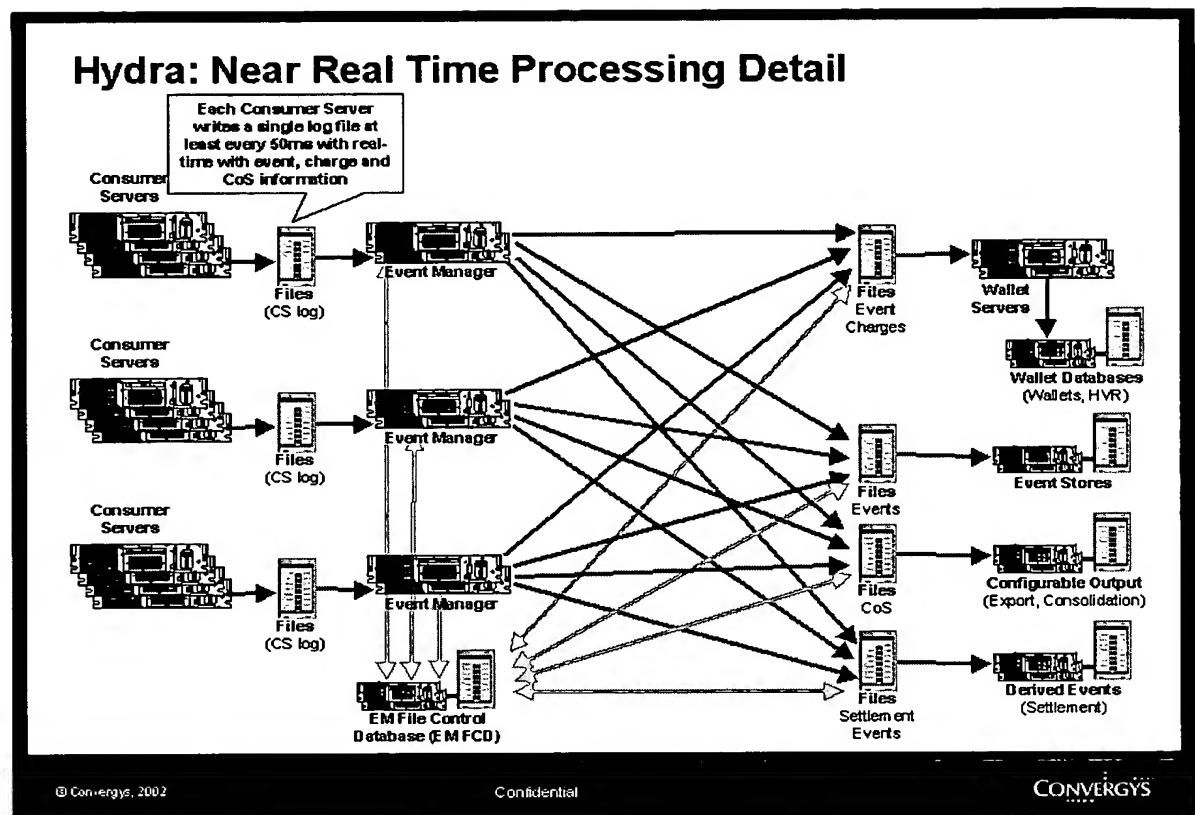


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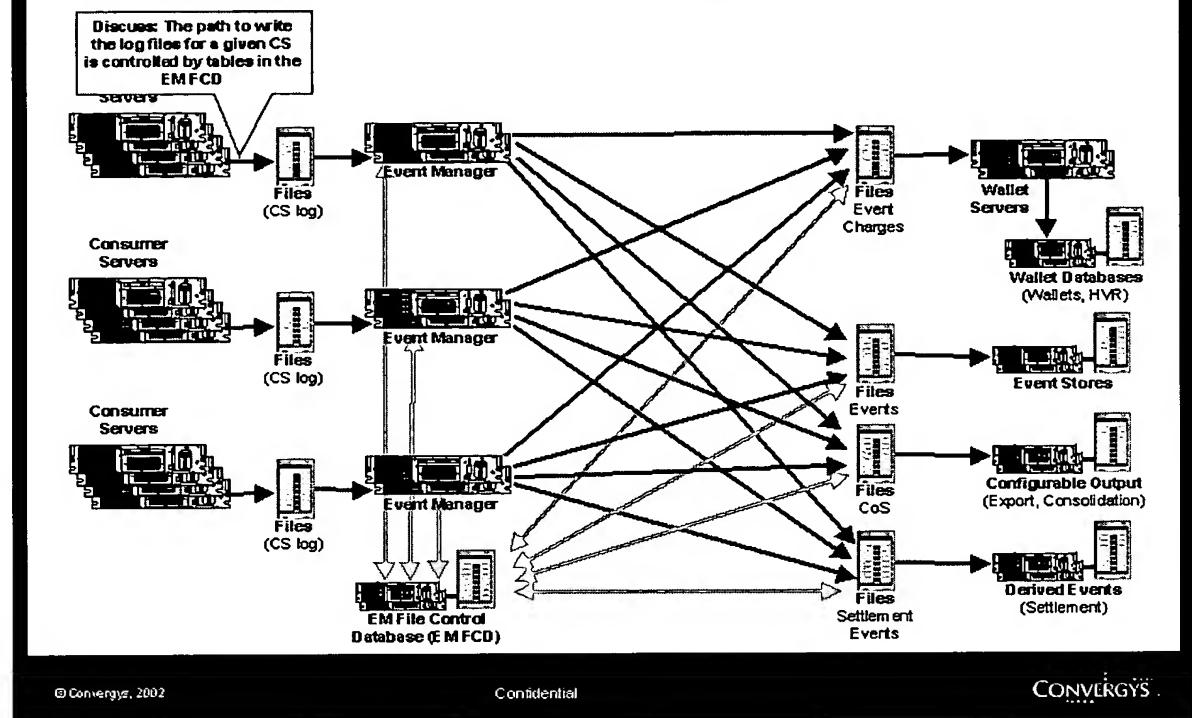


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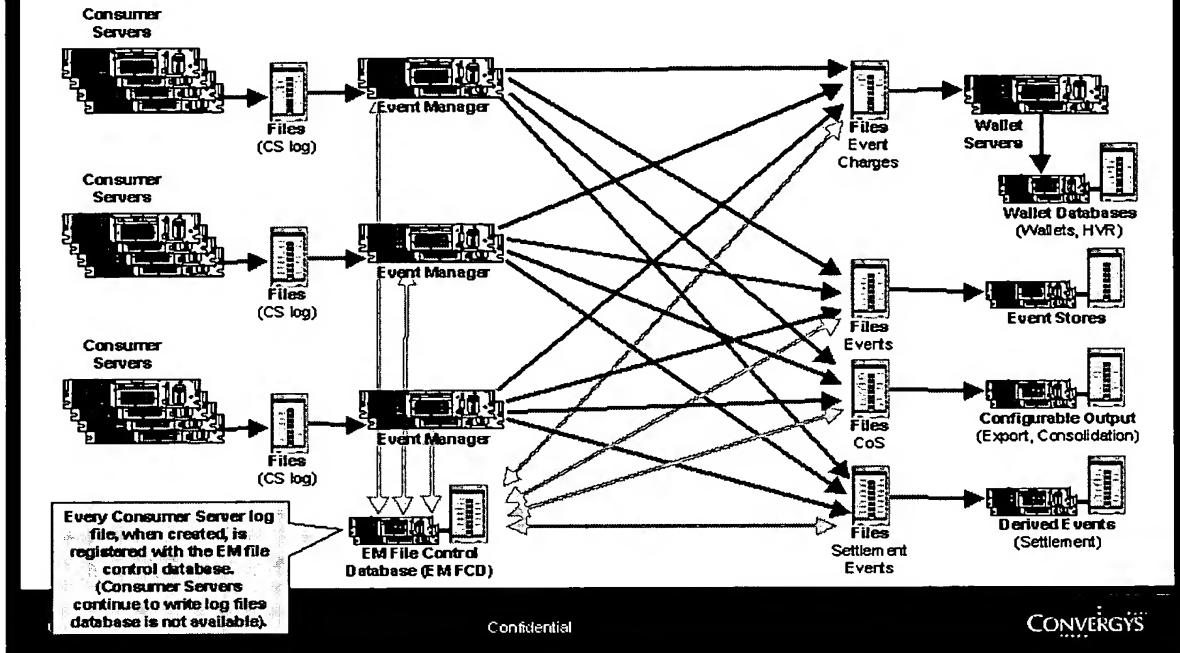
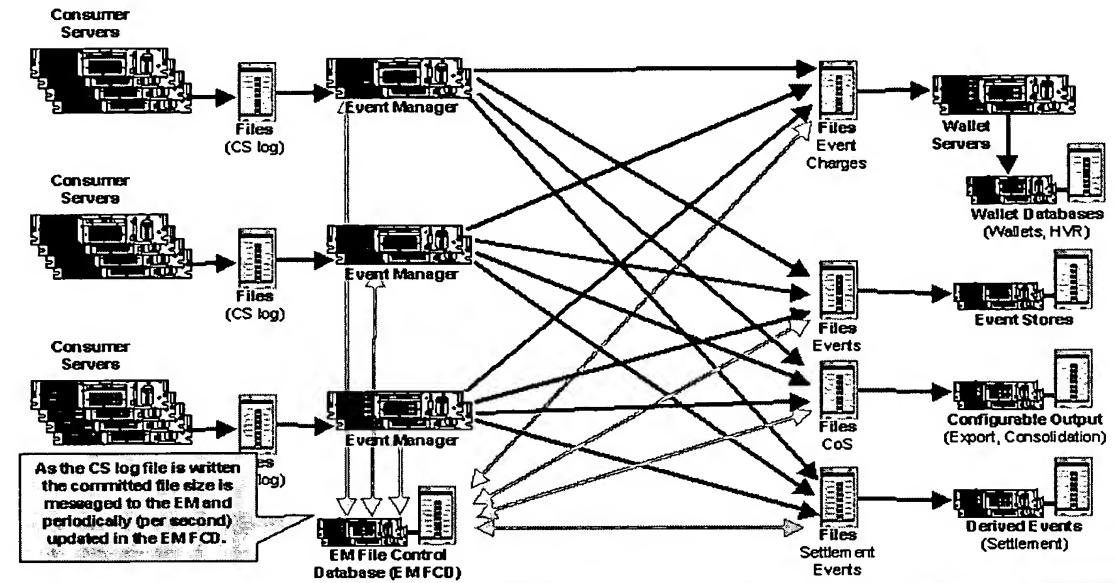


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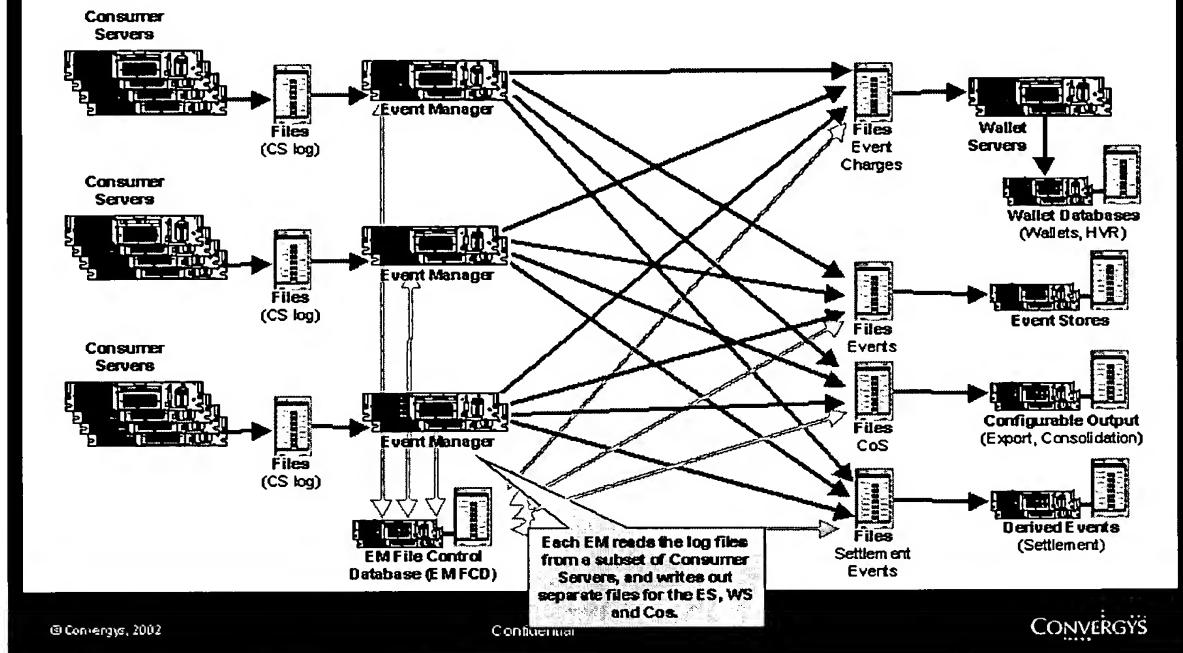


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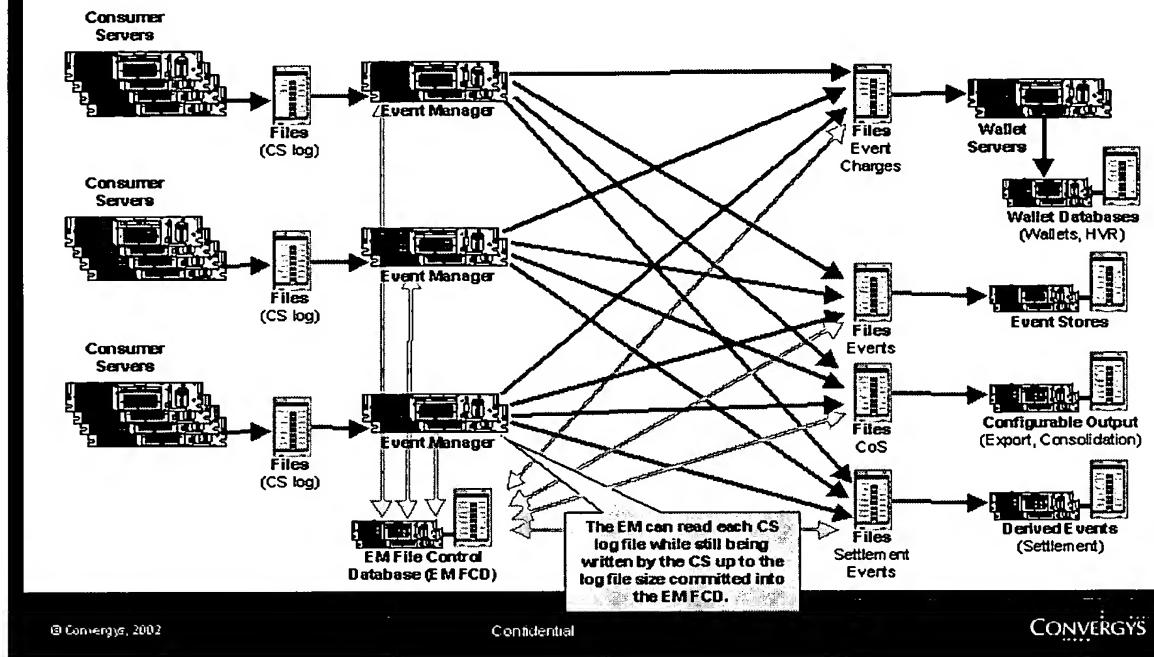
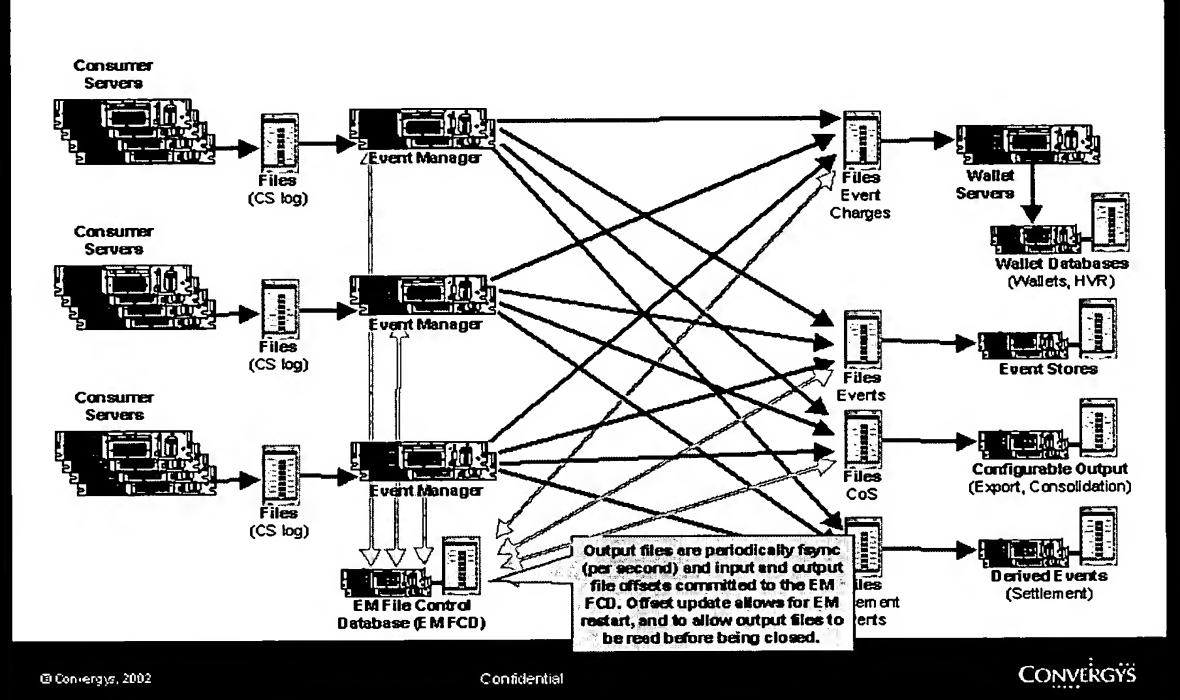


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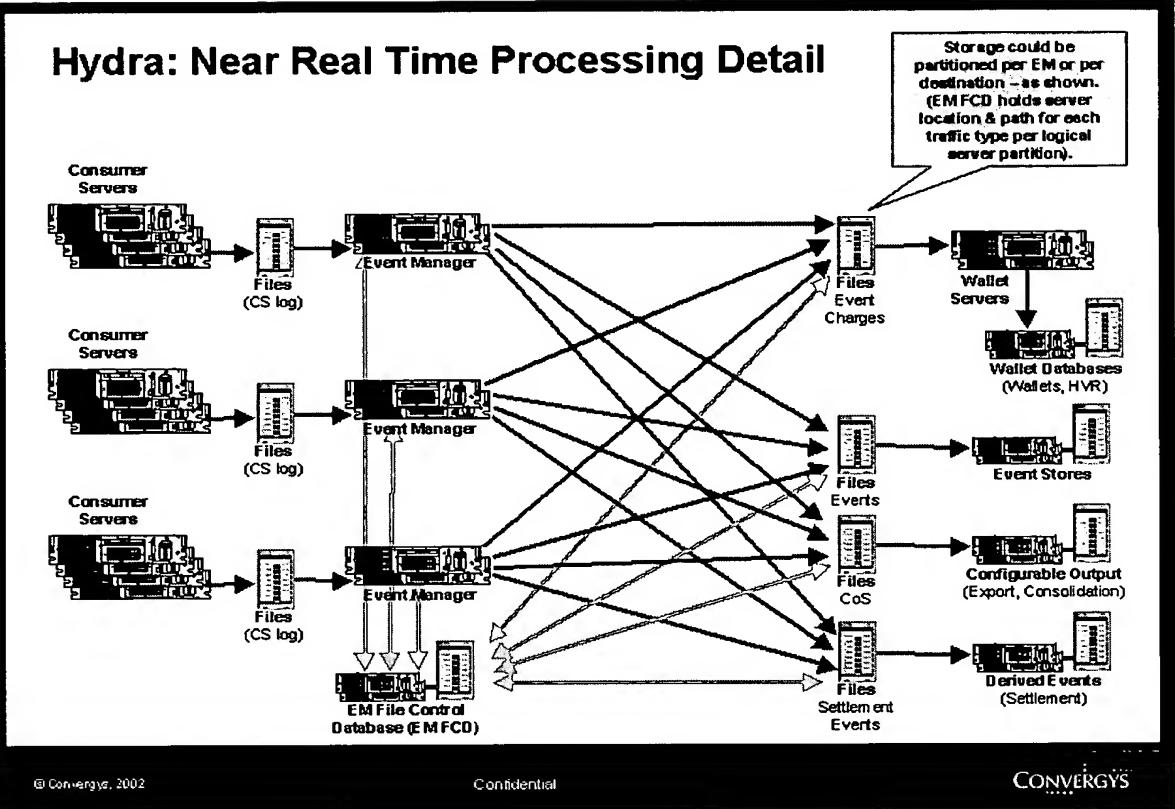


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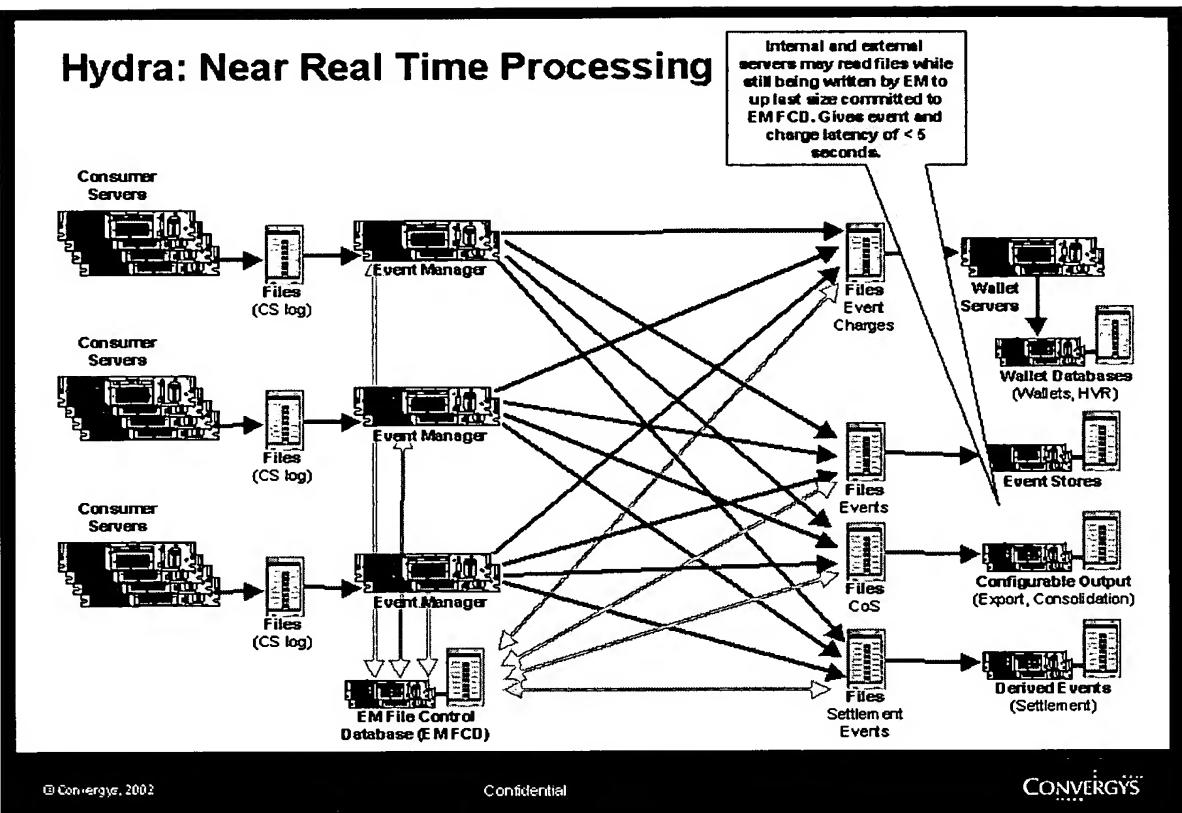


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Hydra: Near Real Time Processing Detail

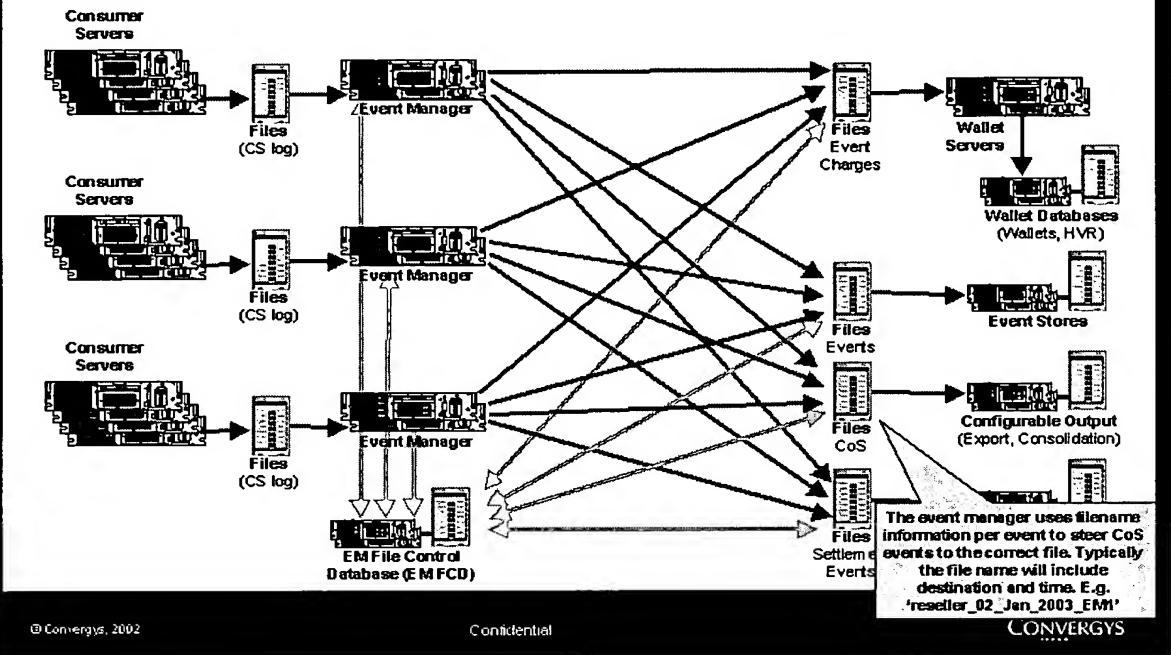


Figure 69

Hydra: Near Real Time Processing Detail

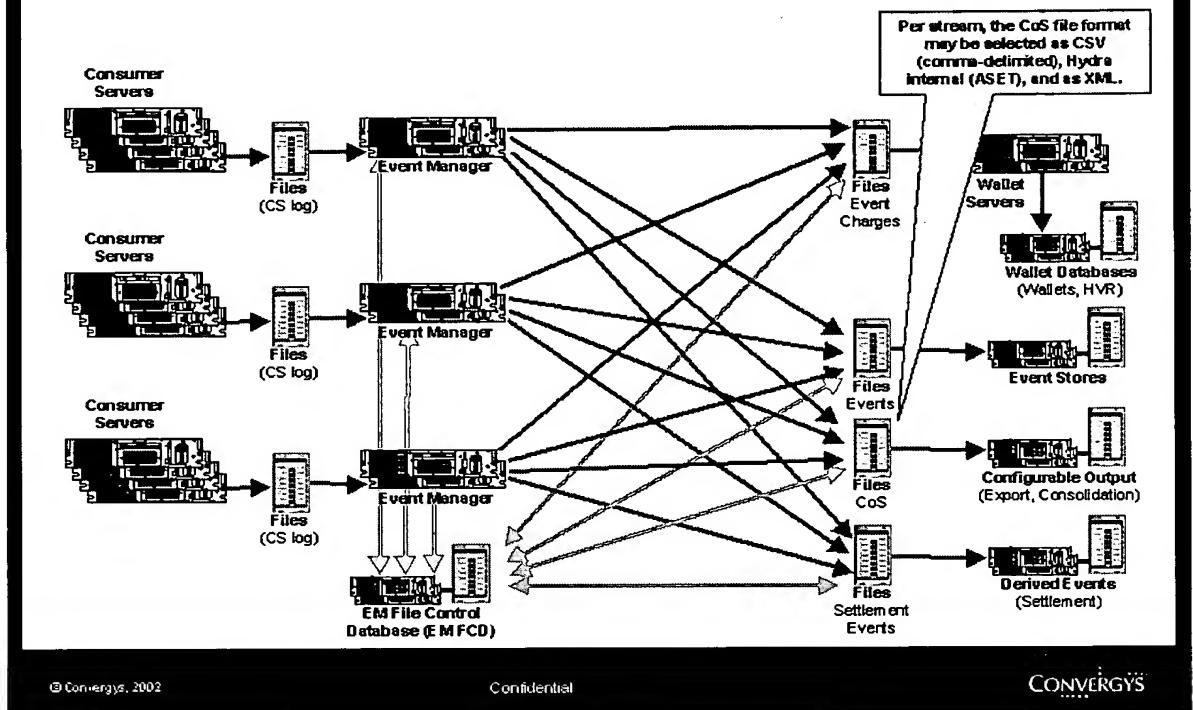


Figure 70

Hydra: Near Real Time Processing Detail

Hydra APIs allow external systems to receive and acknowledge CoS file streams.

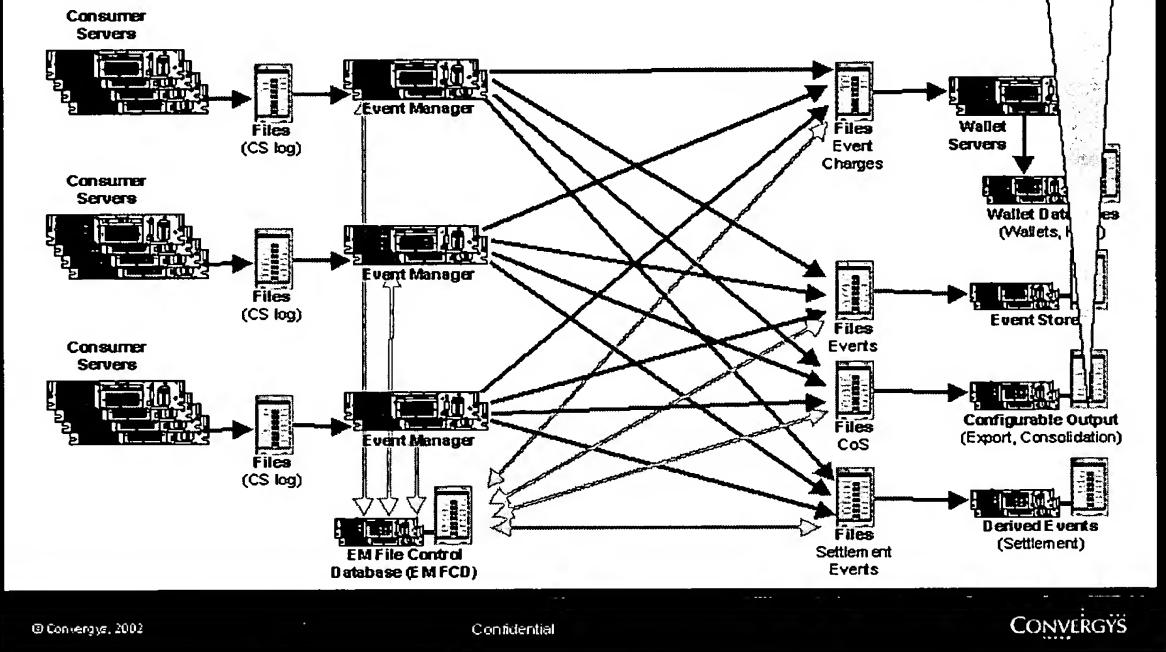


Figure 71

Hydra: Near Real Time Processing Detail

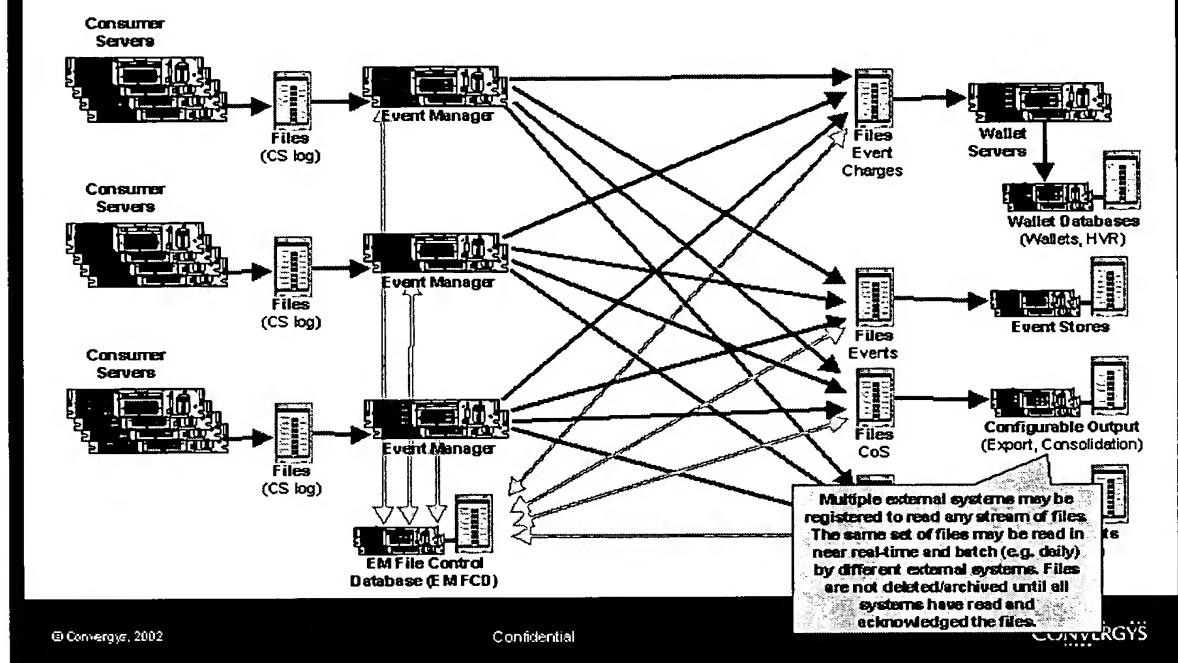


Figure 72

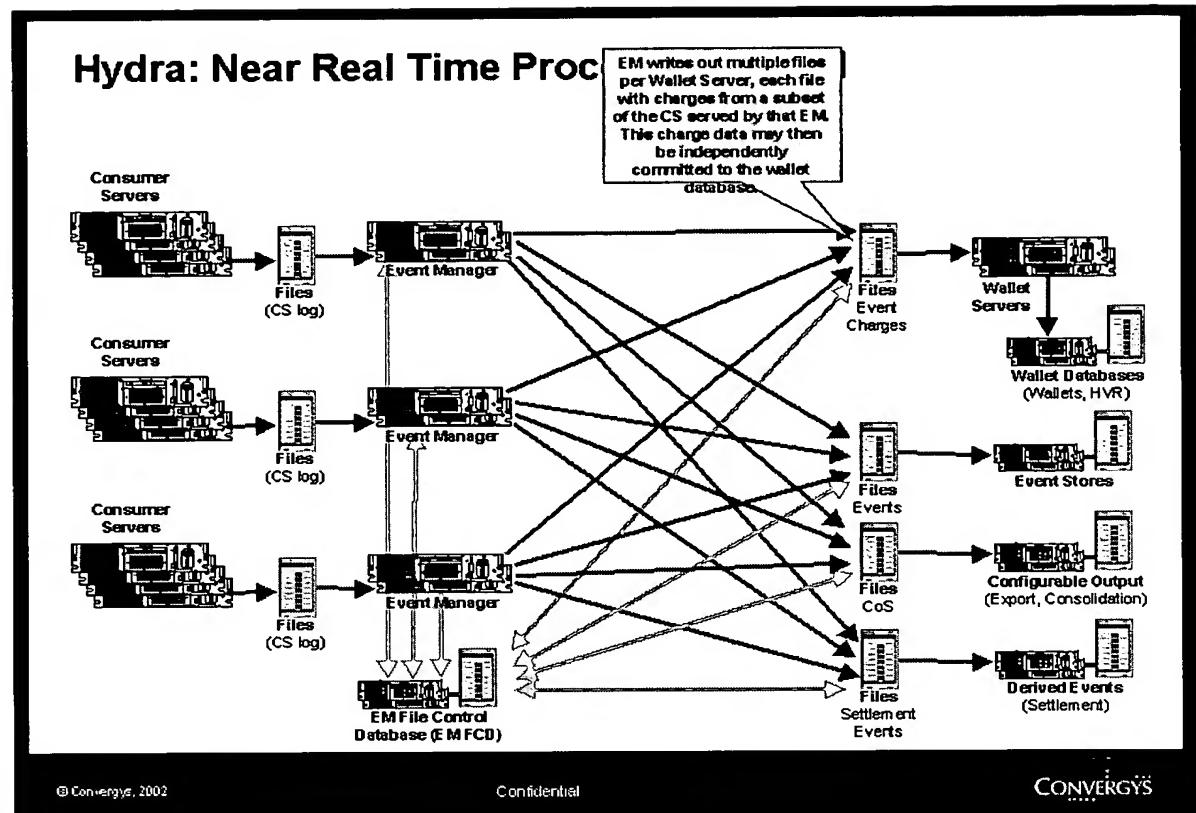
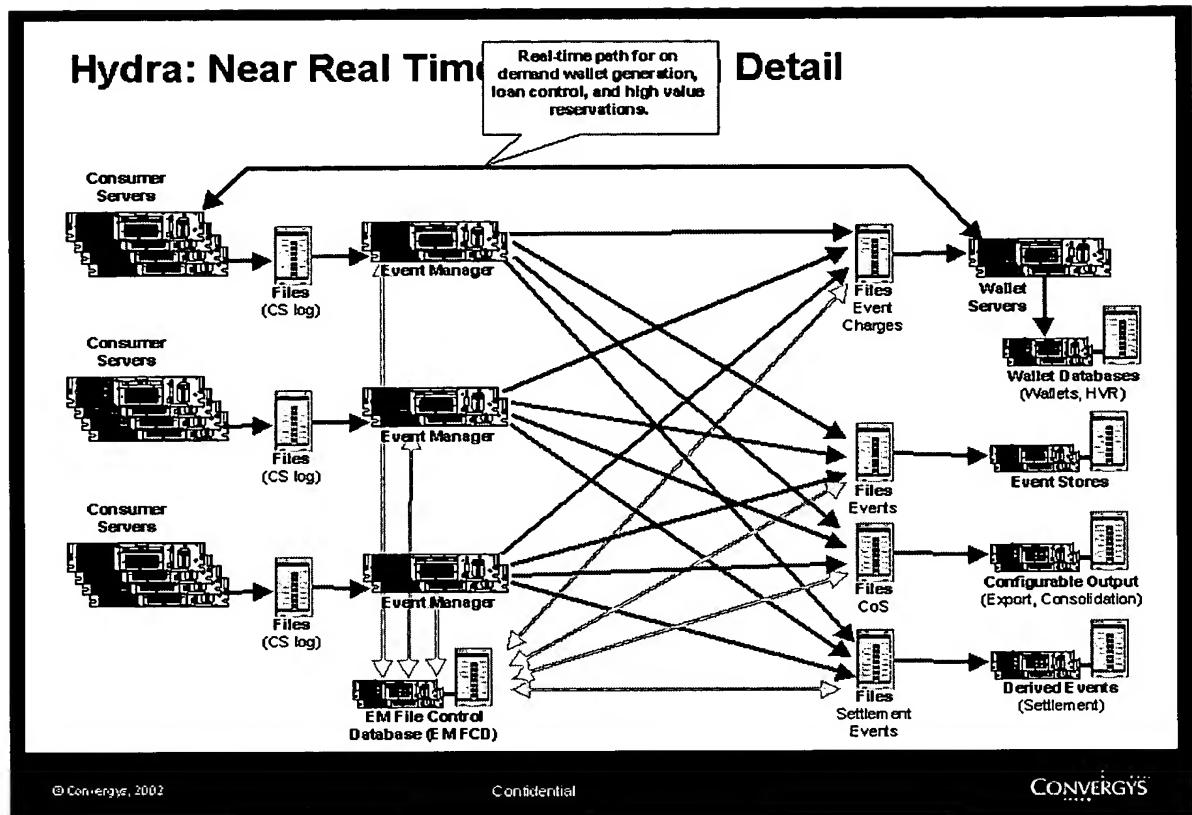


Figure 73



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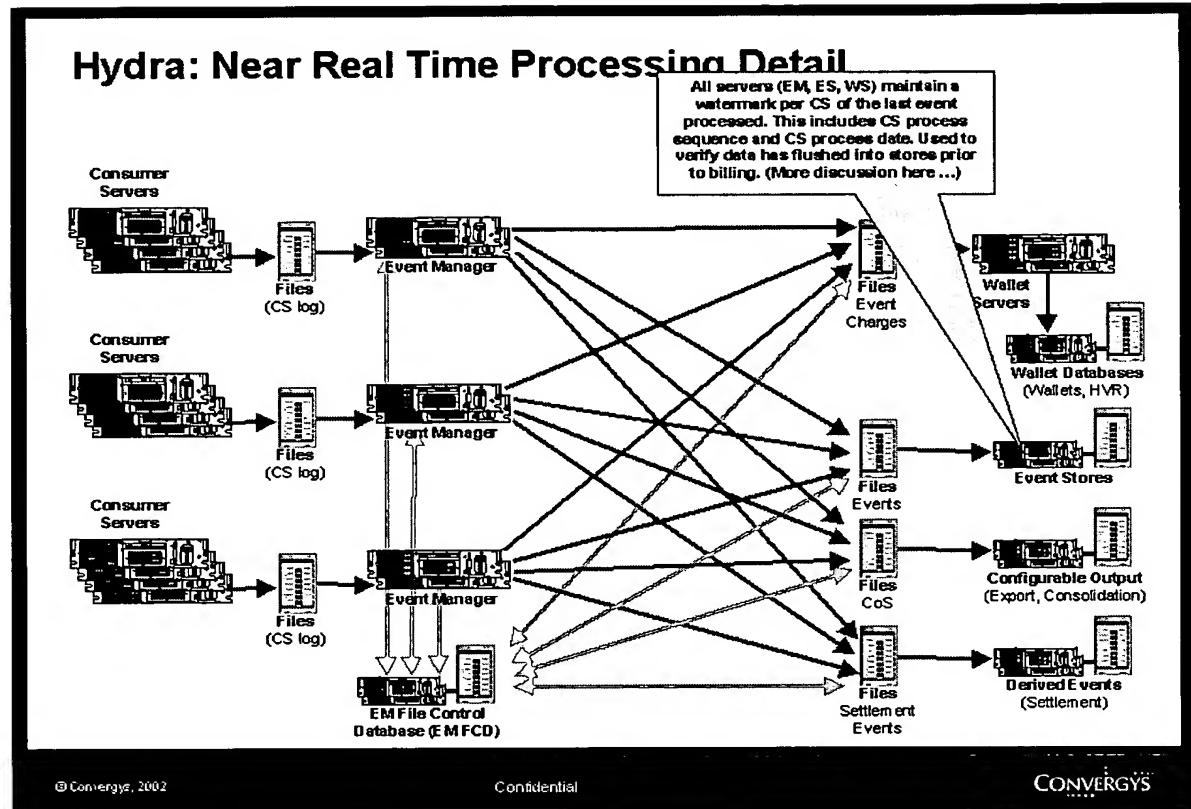


Figure 75